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Can Hold Prices In Check

Approved Wage Boosts Will Not Affect Rents Nor Average Food Prices

NEW YORK, March 22—(P)—Paul A. Porter, OPA administrator, said today there would be "some price increases" as the result of approved wage boosts but predicted that the new wage-price policy would have little or no effect upon rents or on "the average of food prices."

In a speech prepared for a luncheon of the Union for Democratic Action, Porter declared that "as far as the basic economies of our problem is concerned, we can continue to hold the average of prices to a slight increase during the coming year," and added:

"The new wage-price policy will add somewhat to the rate of creeping price increases. Let's not duck this reality. Approved wage increases will lead to some price increases which would not have occurred under the original wage-price policy. In the majority of American industries, however, prospective earnings are so well above pre-war levels that reasonable wage increases can be negotiated without raising prices."

No Effect on Rents

"It is clear that the new wage-price policy will have no effect on the level of rents. It should have little effect on the average of food prices. And it will have little or no effect upon a variety of miscellaneous living costs."

Porter declared that "we are six months nearer the time when all-out civilian production will make most price controls unnecessary."

"Although disputes between management and labor have seriously retarded production in some industries, the reconversion process is now nearly complete. It will require some months yet to build up well balanced inventories of parts and materials in all our factories."

"And it will take a while longer to fill the reservoirs at wholesale and retail to the point at which goods and services begin to flow to consumers in such volume as to satisfy the huge war time accumulation of needs backed by record incomes and savings. But we are seven months nearer that goal."

Will Increase Some Prices

Regarding the new wage-price policy, the OPA head declared it may affect the prices of apparel and textiles and added that "unless brought to a halt by firm government action, speculative increases in raw cotton may force another revision of textile prices."

He said there was "no question but that it (wage-price policy) will increase some prices among consumer metal durable goods."

"Where these price increases are necessary, they will be made promptly—not only to speed production by removing business hardships, but also to minimize withholding of goods while prices are being adjusted," he said.

"Finally, there will be prompt price adjustments wherever necessary to eliminate hardship and to speed all-out production."

"We have held prices reasonably well since V-J day. We can hold them in check during the coming year."

Hess Denies Jurisdiction

NUERNBERG, March 22—(P)—Rudolf Hess notified the International military tribunal through his counsel today that he denied its jurisdiction and would exclude "matters referring to sovereign affairs of Germany" from his defense.

Attorney A. Fred Seidl began presentation of the case of the former No. 3 Nazi this afternoon, after the Hermann Goering defense rested.

Hess "assumes responsibility for all decrees and directives he issued as Deputy Fuehrer and Reichsmaster," Seidl said, but "will only submit evidence relating to foreign matters, and this applies to the action of the foreign office or the National Socialist party."

Heated objection by Soviet and American prosecutors blocked an attempt by Goering's attorney to submit official Nazi charges of atrocities by the Red army against German prisoners on the eastern front.

The British prosecution likewise was successful in excluding charges that the RAF bombed civilian objectives before the German air force used such tactics.

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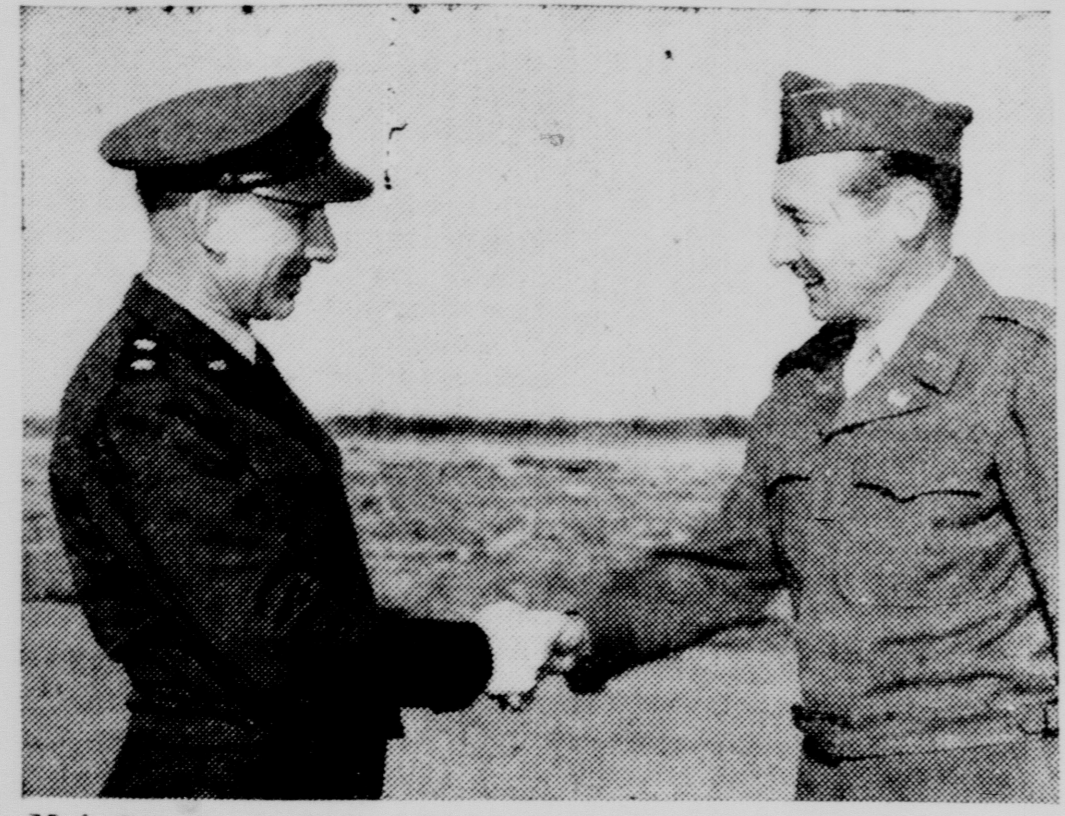
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Congratulating Sedalian



Maj. Gen. K. B. Wolfe, commanding general of the Fifth Air Force, congratulates Captain David D. Henderson of Sedalia on the completion of the first new concrete runway in Japan. Captain Henderson is the commanding officer of the 43rd Engineering battalion, which supervised the construction.

FIFTH AIR FORCE, Japan—In an impressive ceremony held recently at Irumagawa, Japan, Captain David D. Henderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Henderson, of Knob Noster, was congratulated on the completion of the first new concrete runway in Japan by Maj. Gen. K. B. Wolfe, Commanding General of the Fifth Air Force. Captain Henderson is the commanding officer of the 43rd Engineer Battalion, which supervised the construction, using Japanese labor and modern American methods and equipment. Over 5000 feet in length, the airstrip can accommodate the fighter aircraft, liaison planes, and heavy bombers essential to the occupational air forces. Formerly the operations officer for the 1180th Engineer Battalion, Captain Henderson has been in the Pacific theatre since May, 1944, and has received battle participation stars for the New Guinea, Southern Philippine and Luzon campaigns. "Other than building this runway," he stated, "my most interesting experience was building a road through the New Guinea jungle while dodging the vicious attacks of the Jap kamikaze suicide planes."

Captain Henderson is a graduate of Kearney high school and Park college. His wife, the former Mildred Bailey, now resides in Sedalia. Prior to his entrance into the service Captain Henderson was the state manager for the American Rolling Mill Co., of Middletown, Ohio.

Some Soviets Operating In Ottawa

Testimony Given By Former Cipher Clerk

MONTREAL, March 22—(P)—Igor Gouzenko, former cipher clerk in the Russian embassy at Ottawa, testified today that some members of the Soviet security police are operating in Canada. He appeared at a preliminary hearing for Fred A. Rose, first Communist member of the Canadian parliament, who is accused in the Canadian espionage case. Gouzenko was asked by Prosecutor F. Philippe Brais if some of the police were in the Russian embassy at Ottawa and he replied:

"I understand yes."

Royal Canadian mounted police officials said Gouzenko, former cipher clerk in the Russian embassy who is credited with tipping Canadian officials to alleged Russian espionage activities, had expressed fears for his life.

'Sensational' Testimony

They added that "sensational" testimony was expected from Gouzenko, who has been under constant guard since he turned over to the government last fall documents he said he took from files in the Soviet embassy.

Police emphasized that the precautions taken to safeguard Gouzenko did not necessarily reflect on any of those accused in the spy case "or on any country."

"The preliminary hearing in Rose's case is expected to take several days. It will be followed by a hearing in the case of Dr. Raymond Boyer, McGill university scientist employed on government research during the war, from whom Rose is alleged to have obtained the secret data he is accused of relaying to Russian agents."

Caretaker of Jesse James House is Missing

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., March 22—(P)—Police were asked today to search for Albert L. Allen, caretaker of the Jesse James house, who has been missing since Wednesday night.

The house in which the outlaw was killed was moved several years ago from its city location to one on the Belt highway. It has been a tourist attraction for many years.

Doubts Operation

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Mar. 22—(P)—Gov. M. Q. Sharpe, of South Dakota, expressed doubt today whether an agency like the Tennessee Valley Authority ever could operate successfully in the diversified Missouri valley.

The Weather

Central Missouri: Partly cloudy and scattered showers tonight, low temperature 45 degrees. Saturday: partly cloudy and cooler.

Lake of the Ozarks: 54.0; fall 1. Sunrise 6:14 a. m. Sunset 6:27 p. m.

Last quarter moon March 25; new moon April 1.
Temperature: 7 a. m. 54 degrees; 3 p. m. 76 degrees.

Council Votes For Purchase Of Equipment

Add To Park Fund And Will Buy Street Apparatus

Members of the City Council Thursday night voted to purchase additional equipment for the street and alley department for the fire department, to install additional street lights, to extend certain water mains, to buy uniforms for police officers, and to add the sum of \$2,200 to the \$4,800 budget for the park board.

On motion of Frank Middleton, first ward alderman and chairman of the street and alley committee, it was voted to purchase three pieces of equipment for the street and alley department. They are to be a bulldozer, or heavy grader that will cost about \$7,495, a tractor-mower and a street roller. His motion was seconded by Dick Keenan and unanimously approved by the aldermen.

To Buy Aerial Truck Ladder

Gil Sublett, chairman of the fire and water department, first ward alderman, moved the purchase of a 750 gallon per minute pumper and an aerial truck ladder for the department, which was also unanimously approved. This action was taken as part of a recommendation by the Missouri Fire Underwriters, after a survey had been made of Sedalia and its fire department needs.

Anson Fennell, chief of police, called attention to the fact that officers who had purchased uniforms over a year ago were in need of new ones, and asked for authority to make the purchases. He suggested the inclusion of uniforms for Edgar Neighbors, gasoline inspector, Frank Gross, parking meter man and Raymond Fellers, sanitary officer. This matter, on motion of Leo Eickhoff was referred to the police committee, which meeting after the regular session granted Fennell's request.

To Install Lights

An ordinance was passed for the (Please turn to page 6 column 3)

LaPlata State Bank Robbed

LA PLATA, Mo., March 22—(P)—The La Plata State bank was robbed of an estimated \$5,000 to \$7,000 shortly after noon today by a man who escaped with the loot in the bank president's car.

R. E. Gooding, vice-president of the bank gave the following account of the robbery.

The bandit followed Clay Surbeck, the president, into the bank, covered Surbeck and Paul Wilcus, teller, with a gun, ordering Wilcus to fill a paper sack which he gave him with money.

Wilcus scooped up money quickly and handed it to the robber, who then ordered Surbeck to "come on, you're goin' with me," the bandit was reported to have said.

Outside the bank, the bandit forced Surbeck to drive him away in Surbeck's car, but later released the bank president just outside town.

Leon Tansil, La Plata bank cashier, who was absent at the time of the robbery, estimated the loot at from \$5,000 to \$7,000.

Several bookkeepers employed by the bank witnessed the holdup. They reported the bandit said "Stick 'em up. This is it," as he leveled his gun.

Another Chapter in K. C.'s Underworld

KANSAS CITY, March 22—(P)—Occupants of an unlighted sedan fired a dozen bullets through a car driven by Joe Harris, tavern owner, here early today and one shot grazed his coat, Police Lt. Charles Welch reported.

Welch, head of the homicide bureau, said the attack on Harris and his brother Eddie, who was riding with him, was the latest chapter of Kansas City's underworld war which has already taken two lives.

The Harris brothers drove directly to police headquarters after the shooting. The gunplay occurred in Kansas City's north end.

Sievers Named as Contractor

At a recent meeting of the Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce all of the bids received on the construction of the factory building to house the Home Building Corporation were rejected. The special committee was authorized and directed to proceed with negotiations on a cost plus basis, with a guarantee.

Following this action the special committee has met and selected E. L. Sievers as the general contractor. Under the plan agreed upon, the building will be constructed on a cost plus basis with a guarantee, as directed by the board and Neal O. Reyburn will act in the capacity of architect and supervisor and will approve the cost of any and all items of material and labor. The total maximum cost of the building, including the site, will be approximately \$150,000.00, which is a reduction of about \$29,000 over the original lowest bid.

Ben P. Robinson and his group of solicitors are continuing the drive for funds. The total received to date is \$41,500, which leaves \$18,500 yet to be raised. It is necessary that the fund raising campaign be completed as soon as possible so that actual construction of the building can be started.

Registration Deadline at 8:00 Tonight

The registration deadline for those not properly registered to vote in the city election is tonight at 8 o'clock at the City Hall in the police station.

Registration is for those who have not registered in Sedalia before or who have since moved from one ward or precinct to another.

Mrs. Eugene Miller, chairman of the registrars, reports that registration, which began Wednesday morning, was quite brisk Thursday and that heavier business yet is expected today, the final day. The registrars have remained at their desks from 8 a. m. to 8 p. m.

At 9 o'clock this morning, 479 persons had registered this year, tabulated on the registrars' books as follows: Mrs. Henry Heitman, first ward, 74; Mrs. Eugene Miller, second ward, 44; Mrs. R. T. Phelan, third ward, 180; Mrs. John Turner, fourth ward, 131.

Judges Chosen For Election On April 2

Council Names Them at Recessed Meeting Thursday

The City Council, meeting in recessed session Thursday night, named judges for the city election, to be held on Tuesday, April 2. Judges select their own clerks. They also named voting places for that day, there being three changes, as follows: Second ward, second precinct the voting place will be 319 East Pettis; Third ward, fifth precinct, voting place at 1209 South Ingram; Fourth ward, second precinct, voting place 612 West Sixteenth street.

Three Republican and three Democratic judges are named in each voting precinct, selected from the names of six in each precinct presented by each political party.

Democrats

First ward, first precinct—S. J. Timbrious, Mrs. R. F. Rohn, Mrs. H. O. Berry.

First ward, second precinct—Mrs. Frank Hugelman, Mrs. Rolla Lopp, Ted Eschbacher.

First ward, third precinct—Leonard Foster, Mrs. Laura White, Mrs. Helen Collins.

Second ward, first precinct—J. Henderson, J. D. Hartley, Mrs. H. Scott.

Second ward, second precinct—Anna Parks, Rufus Smith, Carrie Flewellen.

Second ward, third precinct—(Please turn to Page 6, Col. 6)

States Railroad Employees' Pay Low

CHICAGO, March 22—(P)—An economist testifying for two railroad brotherhoods told an emergency fact finding board today that average hourly earnings for railroad transportation employees were among the lowest in the country for skilled and semi-skilled workers.

Henry P. Melnikow, consulting economist for the brotherhoods of railroad trainmen and the brotherhood of locomotive engineers, asserted hourly earnings of railroad workers, which ranked third in 1936, dropped to twentieth place in 1945 and now "are almost at the bottom of the heap."

Bothwell Hospital Notes

Mrs. Howard Gatterell and son, 916 South Lamine avenue, dismissed.

Herbert Ford, Second street and Dundee avenue, admitted for tonsilectomy.

Mrs. Anna C. Ficken, Cole Camp, admitted for medical treatment.

Mrs. Roy L. Demand, Smithton, admitted for surgery.

Mrs. Will Rector, 518 North Stewart avenue, admitted for medical treatment.

Floyd Kerns, 1218 East Fourth street; Mrs. Charles Mullineaux, 111½ South Kentucky avenue, dismissed.

Stalin Tells Newsman He is Convinced Neither Nations Nor Armies Want a New War

Churchill Road and Truman Terrace

FULTON, Mo., March 22—(P)—The names "Truman" and "Churchill" have been made a permanent part of the city of Fulton, where the President and the former prime minister appeared early this month.

The city council voted to name a new road in the old NYA addition "Churchill Road." The owners of 25 new apartments being built in that addition have named the property "Truman Terrace."

New OPA Ruling On Rent Policy

ST. LOUIS, March 22—(P)—In a revised policy announced today by the rent office of OPA a six months waiting period before eviction will be required for all landlords, including World War II veterans.

Grover C. Vandover, director, said the ruling becomes effective April 1. The six months waiting period has been in effect for all landlords since September 15, 1945, but until now a distinction has been made for veterans, making it possible for them to gain occupancy in three months.

Congressmen Pleased With Statement

Most Hopeful Sign We've Had Recently, States Sen. Reed

WASHINGTON, March 22—(P)—Generalissimo Stalin's statements on preservation of the peace in an interview with AP correspondent Eddy Gilmore at Moscow were generally hailed with hope by members of congress today.

Senator Morse (R-Ore) said that in view of what Stalin had said to Gilmore about the role of UNO in international security, Russia now could not have "any objection to submitting all pending issues which are creating misunderstandings among members, to the United Nations Organization."

Chairman Connally (D-Tex) of the senate foreign relations committee asserted:

"I am highly gratified at the statement of Prime Minister Stalin. The views expressed are in entire harmony with the purposes of the United Nations organization."

No Militaristic Ambitions

"I am glad to note that he renounces any militaristic ambitions. The UNO is our best hope for peace, and if the Soviet Union will support it and cooperate with other peace loving nations we may hope for a long period of peace and international concord."

Said Chairman Bloom (D-NY) house foreign affairs committee: "Stalin's words are reassuring. We'll never have war if Russia and all the nations follow the advice given. We all ought to hold special services and pray that Generalissimo Stalin will always remember and heed the answers he gave Mr. Gilmore."

House Republican leader Joseph Martin of Massachusetts expressed the view the international situation is "too delicate" for hasty comment on major issues, and reserved a statement.

Chairman Walsh (D-Mass) of the senate naval committee said Stalin's statement that nations are not striving toward war "should put an end to all rumors of war in the immediate future."

U. S. Will Approve

"The statement will be hailed with acclaim and approval by the people of the United States," Walsh said.

Senator Reed (R-Kan) commented that, on its face, Stalin's interview with Gilmore "is the most hopeful sign that we have had recently."

House Speaker Sam Rayburn (D-Tex) said Premier Stalin's newly-expressed views on war and peace constituted "a powerful statement" and provided "an indication that Stalin is willing to work with the rest of the world for peace."

Rep. Wadsworth (R-NY), a leading congressional proponent of universal military training, said Stalin's views as reflected in the interview "listen good."

"One cannot criticize a statement like that," Wadsworth said. "It's time we stopped talking about war and started talking about peace."

Present Fear of War, He States, is Caused by Certain Political Groups Who by Their Propaganda Sow Seeds of Discord and Cause Lack of Confidence

LONDON, March 22—(P)—Prime Minister Stalin told the Associated Press today "I am convinced that neither the nations nor their armies are striving for a new war," the Moscow radio said.

"They want peace," Stalin said in the interview as broadcast from Moscow, "and are striving for a guarantee of peace."

"That means," Stalin added, "that the present fear of war is caused not from that quarter. I think that the present fear of war is caused by the activities of certain political groups who occupy themselves with propaganda for a new war and who are thereby sowing the seeds of discord and lack of confidence."

Moscow said AP correspondent Eddy Gilmore asked Stalin what significance he attributed to the United Nations as a means of preserving international peace, and Stalin replied:

Newsman Has Interview With Stalin

LONDON, March 22—(P)—Following is the text of a question and answer interview with Prime Minister Stalin by Associated Press correspondent Eddy Gilmore as broadcast by the Moscow radio today.

The correspondent of the Associated Press, Mr. Gilmore, asked Prime Minister Stalin the following questions connected with the international situation. Below we give Mr. Gilmore's questioning and Stalin's replies.

Question: What significance do you attribute to the United Nations organization as a means of preserving international peace?

Answer: I attribute great significance to the United Nations organization, since it is a serious instrument for the preservation of peace and international security. The strength of this international organization consists in the fact that it is based on the equality of right of states and not on the principles of the domination of some states over others. If the United Nations organization succeeds in continuing to preserve the principle of equal rights, it will undoubtedly play a great positive role in the cause of guaranteeing universal peace and security.

What should the governments of the freedom loving countries now do for the preservation of peace and order in the whole world?

Answer: It is necessary that the public and ruling circles of the powers organize a wide counter propaganda against the propagandists of a new war and for the insuring of peace, so that not a single act of the propagandists of a new war should remain without due rebuff on the part of the public and press, so that incendiaries of war may thus be exposed in good time and may have no chance of misusing freedom of speech against the interests of peace."

OPA Offices to Consolidate

The United States Rent Control office, 115 West Fifth street, is to be moved about the first of April to the War Price and Rationing Board office in the assembly room of the court house. Arrangements for consolidating these offices in Sedalia were completed Thursday.

J. G. Callaway, district director of the OPA, James Robertson, head of the rent control and Geo. Muehlebach, administrator of the OPA, all from Kansas City, were in Sedalia Thursday. They met with members of the county court and explained the consolidation and received permission from the court to move the office to the court house.

The War Price and Rationing Board offices, since the elimination of much rationing, has decreased in personnel and made it possible for the rent control office to take space in the same office room. The lease of the building, now occupied by the rent control expires the first of the month, it was said.

Freight Train Into Ditch

BATESVILLE, Ark., March 22—(P)—The locomotive and three cars of a northbound Missouri Pacific freight train, Red Ball 260, plunged into a small ditch near Diaz, Jackson county, Ark., this morning while trying to cross a 25-foot trestle which had burned unnoticed some time last night. Several crew members were injured, none seriously.

The train was en route from Memphis to Kansas City. Traffic over the line will be tied up until some time tonight, railroad representatives said.

Wrecker crews were en route here from Little Rock, Ark., and Nevada, Mo., today to remove the ditched cars and repair the trestle.

New Sleeping Car Service

PALM BEACH, Fla., March 22—(P)—Uninterrupted sleeping car service between Washington, D. C., and Texas points will be started in the near future by the Chesapeake and Ohio, Big Four and Katy railroads.

Food Is High in London

LONDON, March 22—(P)—Fresh pineapples went on sale in a London store today at \$20 each. String beans were offered at \$5 a pound.

The pineapples came from the Azores. Pre-war prices ranged from 50 cents to \$4.

Thought for Today
The German is the discipline of fear; ours is the discipline of faith and faith will triumph.
—Joffre.

Merry-Go-Round

by Drew Pearson

WASHINGTON, March 22—It's always hard to find out exactly what is going on inside the Kremlin, but according to latest diplomatic reports, the chief policy framers are now foreign commissar Molotov and vice commissar Vyshinsky.

They, even more than Stalin, according to diplomatic dispatches, are really running top Soviet policy today.

That policy is: Russia must acquire certain strategic areas, such as Iran and the Dardanelles, quickly and without delay. The time factor is important for two reasons:

1. The war weariness of the rest of the world and the general demobilization of the democracies make it impossible for them to resist Russian demands now. So if Russia acts quickly, she can get what she wants without risk of war.

2. If there should be trouble, however, the Russian people will go along with the Soviet government as long as Stalin is alive and at its head. That is another reason for speed, since Stalin's health is failing. He has become a great symbol, and the Russian people will follow him anywhere. However, being just as war weary as the democracies and having no real quarrel with them, the Russian people would be loath to follow any other leader into a war.

These factors, according to diplomatic dispatches just received from Moscow, are why the Russians rushed troops into Iran, have concentrated on the Turkish border and have a tremendous army in Hungary ready to reinforce Tito's Yugoslav army in case there is a march on Trieste.

Stalin is old, and although still the most important personage in Russia, is not nearly as active as formerly. Roosevelt, incidentally, always found Stalin easier to deal with than those around him. So did Hull and Jimmy Byrnes.

Note — Ex-ambassador Averell Harriman, just returned from Moscow, reported that Stalin now looks very much as Roosevelt did at Yalta, emaciated and not a well man.

Leon Blum's Gloves
When so distinguished a visitor as Leon Blum, former premier of France, arrived at the national airport in Washington, most people would have expected the state department to remove red tape.

Not so, however. The venerable Blum had to go through the usual inspections. In fact, so strict was the red tape, that when French ambassador Bonnet held out his hand to greet the distinguished visitor, a colonel in the public health service intervened.

"Sorry, Mr. Ambassador," he said, "you can't touch him. He hasn't been through health inspection yet."

But another colonel of public health, noticing M. Blum's hands said: "I guess it will be all right to shake hands. He has gloves on."

Churchill-Stalin Feud
One reason behind Stalin's personal blast against Winston Churchill following his Fulton, Mo., speech was an old personal antipathy between the two men which finally exploded privately at Teheran.

Stalin, of course, never forgot

The Doctor Says

Diet Important in Treating Gout

BY WILLIAM A. O'BRIEN, M. D.
Written for NEA Service

In one large clinic, one out of every 20 patients suffering with chronic disease of the joints had gout. The disease probably is



Dr. O'Brien

more prevalent than most people realize.

The first attack of gout usually starts suddenly, lasts three to ten days, and then disappears completely. It may affect a toe, foot, ankle, knee, wrist or other joint. Attacks develop while the patient is asleep. Pain increases in intensity until it becomes so severe that even the weight of the bed clothes cannot be tolerated. Toward morning the pain eases and the patient falls asleep.

When the physician inspects the affected joint, it is sore and tender. The skin is purplish red and the veins are distended. As the swelling disappears, the skin peels and itches.

A second attack of gout follows in about a year or longer. It is similar to the first, except it may be more severe. Sooner or later the disease increases in severity, attacks occur more often, and many joints are affected, but the patient still does not have any joint trouble between attacks.

After many years of acute seizures, chronic gouty arthritis may develop with involvement of many joints, swollen hands and feet, and deposits of urates in the tissues. Those who develop gouty attacks late in life seldom have gouty arthritis.

Children Hit, Too

Gout is more common in men, although it does occur in women. First symptoms usually appear after 35 years of age, but the disease can develop in children. Gout seems to run in certain families, although records are incomplete in this regard. It is primarily a disease of the well-to-do, and those who indulge in rich foods.

A patient with gout should secure specific instructions from his physician as to what to do if an attack occurs. If warning signs are recognized, the attack may be prevented. After the pain subsides, the patient should remain in bed and protect his sore joints from pressure. Hot water compresses applied every two or three hours, and special drugs will ease the pain.

Dairy Products Good Diet

Diet for patients with gout should be free of purine rich foods, such as sweetbreads, liver, kidneys, brains, meat extracts, gravies, sardines and anchovies. Milk, eggs and cheese and many others are low in purines. Diet should be low in fat and rich in carbohydrates. Complete avoidance of alcohol is advised.

Gout is a chronic progressive disease, but physicians believe that if patients follow instructions faithfully, the number of attacks can be reduced and the development of chronic arthritis may be prevented.

That Churchill had sent Allied troops into Archangel and Siberia at the end of the last war in order to upset the Bolshevik regime. And all during the recent war he was irked over the fact that Churchill hung back against starting the second front across the English channel.

It was not until the Teheran conference that this question of the second front was finally settled. After considerable argument between Churchill and Stalin, Roosevelt threw his weight on the side of Stalin and it was decided to launch the second front through France, not the Balkans, as proposed by Churchill.

So when the two men parted, Churchill held out his hand to Stalin and said:

"Well goodbye Marshal, I'll see you in Berlin."

"Yes," replied Stalin, "I in a tank and you in a Pullman car."

Capital Chaff
A rider has been attached to the Philippine war compensation bill, exactly 15 words long. Those 15 words, however, will bring

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Behind Russia's Iron Curtain



The Story of Stalin's Viceroy



President Juho Kusti Paasikivi of Finland . . . the country's leading exponent of amity with Russia, a personal friend of Stalin's for many years, but politically a conservative. Yet Stalin prefers this Chamber of Commerce member to any Finnish communist as head of the government.

views a bit here and there, yet essentially he is the same man he has always been. Nothing could sway or swerve him.

He is the type of man Stalin likes to do business with. He is able, sound, has a sense of humor. A Finnish patriot, a well-to-do banker, and a conservative politician, he nevertheless has given ample proof of his desire to get along with Russia and he has an open mind for all ideologies, including communism.

Paasikivi is no quivering. He can't be ordered or kicked around. Yet he will accept the necessities of a given situation and once he has given his word you can build a skyscraper on it.

In spite of his deceptively Finnish-sounding name, and of his genuine Finnish patriotism, Paasikivi is not really a Finn. He comes from the pure Swedish stock.

His father, Johan August Hellsten, a merchant, belonged to the Swedish minority which centuries ago settled on Finland's west and south coasts and gained a controlling influence on the country's economic and social life. His mother, Karolina, also was a Swedo-Finn.

Undramatic Start

Born on November 27, 1870, at Tampere (Tammerfors) he was christened Johan Gustav Hellsten, but later he "Finnified" his name.

Physically, Paasikivi is thick-set, with a square head, ruddy face and bushy gray hair. He has been married twice and has a grown-up daughter, Anni.

Paasikivi's start in life was easy and undramatic. After studying law at Finnish, Swedish and German universities, he went into the banking and insurance business.

For 20 years, from 1914 on, he was managing director of the state-owned Kansallis Osake Bank



Madame Kollontay

Molotov

and during most of this time he was also vice president of the Helsinki Stock Exchange. Since 1928 he has headed the Finnish section of the International Chamber of Commerce.

He entered public life in 1907, when he was elected a member of the Diet. The following year he became Minister of Finance of Finland, which at that time still was a semi-autonomous Grand Duchy under Russian rule. After the emancipation of his country, he held the premiership for a brief period in 1918.

A significant phase of Paasikivi's life began in 1920 when he was picked to head the Finnish peace delegation which negotiated the Treaty of Dorpat on October 14. Thus it was Paasikivi who ended Finland's first war with Soviet Russia and secured his country's existence as an independent state. Little did he know then that he would have to repeat the performance over and over again.

In 1936, Paasikivi was sent as Minister to Stockholm. There he met Soviet Russia's famous woman ambassador, Mme. Alexandra Kollontay, with whom he established personally amicable relations despite the persistent tension between their countries.

Later, this friendship proved a great asset in Finland's efforts to get out of the war. And quite

recently it was reported from Stockholm that Paasikivi had nominated his former official antagonist but personal friend, Kollontay, as a candidate for the 1946 Nobel Peace Prize—a unique event in the annals of international diplomacy.

The great test of Paasikivi's statesmanship came in October, 1939, when he was recalled from his Stockholm post to head the Finnish mission to Moscow which sought in vain to reach a peaceful settlement of Russia's territorial demands.

Paasikivi probably would have succeeded in this arduous task but for the arrival, a few weeks later, of Foreign Minister Vaino Tanner, who blocked all concessions made by the former and thus caused the breakdown of negotiations.

(On February 21, 1946, Tanner was sentenced to five and a half years in prison by a "war guilt tribunal" in Helsinki.)

Despite the underlying gravity of the talks, the atmosphere in Moscow was genial and at times downright playful, thanks to Paasikivi's good humor and quiet composure. While Tanner and Molotov bargained heatedly, Paasikivi swapped jokes with Stalin.

Jokes With Stalin

Some of these were of the grim variety the Soviet dictator particularly delights in. Once when Stalin threatened to hurl 2,000,000 men against Finland, Paasikivi is said to have replied with a chuckle "Dear me, where on earth do you think we could bury that many in our little country?"

As it was, a lot of Russians—and Finns—were buried during the short but bloody "winter war" that followed the collapse of these negotiations. When it was over, it was again Paasikivi who led the peace delegation to Moscow and there signed the peace of March 12, 1940.

A few weeks later, he was named Finnish minister to Moscow, where he stayed until the renewed outbreak of war in June, 1941.

Paasikivi thoroughly disapproved of the Finnish alliance with Germany and he labored persistently to bring about a separate peace between his country and Russia.

At least twice, in September 1942 and again in February 1944, he turned up unofficially in Stockholm to talk things over with Mme. Kollontay, but each time the war party in Helsinki nullified his efforts.

When Finland eventually was forced to sue for an armistice, in September 1944, Paasikivi kept in the background, but a close friend of his, Premier Antti Hackzell, headed the new peace delegation to Moscow.

This time Finland, amputated again and subjected to a Soviet-dominated Control Commission, was in real danger of being swallowed up by Russia. Again Paasikivi came to the rescue, assuming the premiership on November 17, under the most trying conditions.

Upon taking office, he promised to "work in mutual understanding

with the Soviet Union and meticulously to fulfill the armistice terms." So he did, while at the same time guarding what is left of Finland's independence and seeking to alleviate its burdens.

It is a measure of Paasikivi's statesmanship that he is liked and trusted both by his people and the Kremlin. He has tied Finland closely to Russia in matters of foreign policy and trade, and he has accepted Communist influence in the government.

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The Heart To Find

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THE STORY: Ann's life settles into a pleasant routine. She finds Port Drake women congenial but no intimate friends among them. Occasionally, she hears her house criticized for its lack of ostentation. Colin seems happy although Ann still hasn't said "I love you" to him.

XIII

THE weather turned suddenly cold on the second of October. Ann and Colin were sitting in front of the fireplace, smoking cigarettes and going through the mail. Ann opened Colin's bank statement, and inquired, "Want me to check this for you, Colin? After all, I used to do bookkeeping."

"If you don't mind. I've always hated that job."

Ann ran through the checks quickly, separating those written in Colin's small neat hand from her own, covered with large, sprawling writing. As she was arranging his according to the numbers on the checks, one for \$500 payable to Millicent Roberts caught her eye. "Who is Millicent Roberts?" she inquired idly.

Colin put down the paper, and looked across at her. "She was my wife."

"Funny to encounter her that way, on a canceled check. Funny she never had known her name before. Then she asked, 'Is this alimony?'"

Colin nodded. "Something else struck Ann then, and she asked, 'Did she get her maiden name back?' Rather nice to know that there wasn't another Mrs. Drake, that."

"No. She's Mrs. Roberts now." Ann was still looking at the check rather abstractedly. She looked up at him suddenly. "But, Colin, if she's married again, you aren't still paying her alimony, are you? I mean—"

"Yes, my dear, I'll go on paying her \$500 a month so long as we both shall live. Rather careless of me, perhaps, but there it is."

"Oh, Colin, you spoil your women horribly! I don't mind your paying her this—though it does seem rather a lot—but it's so bad for women to be treated like that!"

"Any complaints, Mrs. Drake?" Colin asked casually, coming over to put his arm around her.

"My dear— She stopped in her tirade to kiss him, then went on, still a bit angrily, "Why did she divorce you, Colin?"

"Gross cruelty was the charge, I believe." He was very nonchalant about it, but looked as if he would like to drop the subject.

Ann, however, persisted. "Cruel? You, Colin? How absurd! I mean—you're probably the kindest man who ever lived. How were you cruel to her? Forgive me if I'm being tiresome, but I'd really like to know—"

"You have every right to. My cruelty—my current cruelty—consisted in not being willing to drop the book I was working on and take her to Europe when the mood suddenly seized her. Some six months earlier she had refused to accompany me when I went to England to finish the research on Bruce. Oh well, I didn't fight it. I was as ready for a divorce as she. But promise me, Ann—if you ever get a yen to go any place—to Tibet or the Congo or maybe the Isle of Man—you'll tell me, won't you?"

Ann nodded solemnly. "I won't get a yen when you're in the middle of a book," she promised. "Dear heart," Colin said suddenly, "do you realize that you have practically no winter clothes?"

"I have a fur coat," Ann responded promptly. She hadn't worn it yet, that rich and lovely thing that had been Colin's wedding gift to her. She realized then, that she actually didn't have any clothes that would be appropriate under a mink coat.

"You'd better run into Seattle and see what you can find," Colin suggested. "I've arranged for you to charge anything you buy at Frederick's and Best's and Mag-nin's—"

"You want to buy anything anywhere else, you always can write a check."

"Trying to get rid of me," Ann said sadly. "You've always gone with me to Seattle before. Do you think you can trust me to pick out my own clothes?"

"Darling, I'd trust you to do anything in the world. And I have to write a book."

ANN stopped at Connie's house on her way in to Seattle, but Connie was giving a luncheon and couldn't accompany her on her shopping tour. "Do you s'pose I'd dare leave my guests to shift for themselves?" she asked, then wistfully decided she couldn't. So Ann continued into town alone, and with her usual quickness in decisions involving clothes, bought a dress of coral crepe and a small brown hat that swept off her forehead and gave her a wide-eyed and ingenious look, in something less than 45 minutes.

She was leaving the store, and considering where she would go for lunch, when she bumped into Jock. Quite literally—she hadn't been looking where she was going, and ran straight into his arms. It was half a minute before he recognized her, and she had to blink a time or two herself. Then they laughed, and he took her arm and steered her to the edge of the sidewalk.

"What luck, Ann! It's been years. How are you, darling? You'll lunch with me, of course."

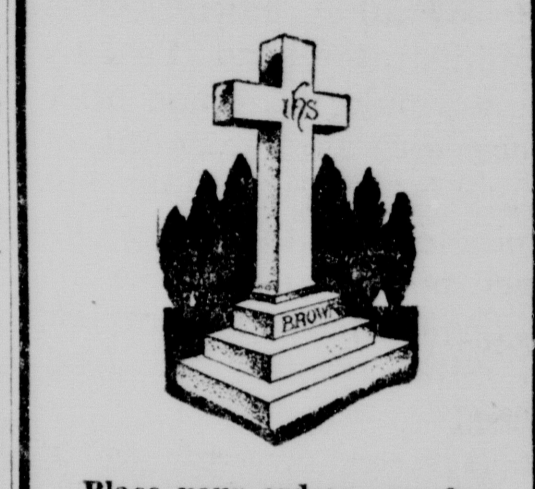
Jock was so big. She had forgotten how big he was, and how very handsome. She was wearing brown suede pumps with four-inch heels—it was all right for her to wear high heels when Colin wasn't with her—and still she had to look up to him. All these thoughts ran through her mind, before she said, in a voice that was curiously breathless, "Of course I'll have lunch with you. It's so nice to see you, Jock—it's been a long time."

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Social Events

The regular meeting of Osage chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution scheduled for this Saturday has been postponed to Saturday, March 30, and will be held at the home of Miss Lelia Shortridge, 904 South Grand avenue.

The regional festival of the Fifth district of the Missouri Federation of Music Clubs will be held at 9 o'clock Saturday morning at Smith-Cotton high school.

Contestants are limited to young people under 18 years of age. Pins will be awarded for excellent and superior ratings. Special awards will be given two-year winners and honor awards for three-year winners.

Marion Davies, of the music division, Central Missouri State Teachers college, Warrensburg, will be the judge.

The festival will be under the supervision of Mrs. Miles H. Rhodes, president of the fifth district, and Mrs. A. H. Steiner, Junior department chairman of the Helen G. Steele Music club. Mrs. George Lovercamp and Mrs. Edwin Martin will assist.

Entrance to the high school will be at the west door only.

A basket dinner was served at the home of P. J. Stamberger of Ottaville in honor of his eighty-first birthday anniversary. Those present were: P. J. Stamberger, W. F. Stamberger, Henry and Donald Stamberger, Mr. and Mrs. George Stamberger, Miss Mary Stamberger, Freddie Stamberger, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hildebrandt, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. John Sanders and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wool-

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ery and family, Billy Joe Homan, Miss Anna Thomas and James Thomas.

The Nautilus club of Lamonte met at the home of Miss Mamie Walker Thursday afternoon of last week.

Mrs. George Swope presided over the business meeting, during which the following officers were elected: Mrs. C. E. Terry, president; Mrs. Lowell Reavis, vice president; Mrs. Scott Higgins, treasurer; Mrs. Ruth Price, secretary; Mrs. Maggie Conner, corresponding secretary.

The program was presented by the Fine Arts and Literature committee, with Mrs. W. E. Walker as leader.

"A Voice From a Far Country" was the subject of a reading by Mrs. W. E. Walker, which told of an old couple sitting before the fire, lonely because their daughter, a noted singer, who was across the sea, could not be with them on her birthday anniversary. She had sent them a phonograph and when they put it together and turned it on, they were surprised to hear her singing "Home, Sweet Home." Mrs. Woolery was the soloist.

Mrs. Maggie Conner gave a humorous reading, "Taking an Elevator."

Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Miss Jane Meuschke, of the Ruby Lea apartments, was hostess of a shower Tuesday night honoring Miss Mary Beth Williams, whose wedding to Capt. Frank H. Travis, Jr., will take place Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Fifth Street Methodist church. The hostess was assisted in entertaining by her mother, Mrs. Lois Meuschke, and Miss Gertrude Kraus.

A cleverly designed harp, a mirror outlined with rosebuds and white candles, formed the principal decorations and a table centerpiece was fashioned of sweet-peas in pastel shades.

Lingerie gifts were presented to the honoree, following the playing of two games of "Blitz" rummy, after which refreshments were served.

Awards for high honors were received by Miss Williams, her mother, Mrs. J. D. Williams, Miss Mary Schrankler and Mrs. E. R. Peterson. Other guests were the bride-elect's grandmother, Mrs. Elizabeth Wharry, of Charleston, Mo., who is a guest in the Williams home, Mrs. William Bunn,

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Other Scout leaders who presented awards were James Atkinson, second class awards; John Ryan, first class awards; Cline Cain, Star scout awards; Judge Dimmitt Hoffman, who presided, Life scout awards; the Rev. A. J. Brunswick and the Rev. J. Fred King, Eagle scout awards.

Merit badge awards were given by the scoutmasters to the troops. Cain presented the checks to the different troops for the paper drive.

The invocation was by Father Brunswick and closing remarks were made by Judge Hoffman.

Looking Backward

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Confirm Smith As Ambassador

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Action was by acclamation and without debate.

The 50-year-old officer, former chief of staff to General Eisenhower as Allied commander in Europe, plans to leave soon for Moscow.

He succeeds W. Averell Harriman.

Unpopular Eagles

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Just Town Talk

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Rural Plays at Smith-Cotton

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Annual Dramatic Event Expected to Draw Large Crowds

Plans are complete for the Rural Dramatics program to be held at the Smith-Cotton High School auditorium on Monday and Tuesday nights, March 26 and 27, beginning at 8 o'clock p. m.

Seven one-act plays, with special between plays will be presented on the two nights.

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On Tuesday night Mrs. Ralph Berry and Mrs. Clarence Moore, of Ionia, will play a two-piano number and Harriet Hollenbeck will play two piano solos. Carl Norman Holman and Mary Lou Holdner of Beaman will sing a duet. They will be accompanied by Rose Alice Wood. Other special numbers are a "Dutch Dance" by the members of the High Point school and a ladies' quartet and a string trio from Smithton.

Annual Affairs In past years the county dramatics events have been very interesting and have attracted large gatherings. With interest which has been shown thus far and the number of plays and special numbers on the program, the event this year promises to be even better than in past years.

All the one-act plays will again be judged this year, with the winners being announced at the close of the program Tuesday night. All persons interested in an evening of good entertainment

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On Tuesday night Mrs. Ralph Berry and Mrs. Clarence Moore, of Ionia, will play a two-piano number and Harriet Hollenbeck will play two piano solos. Carl Norman Holman and Mary Lou Holdner of Beaman will sing a duet. They will be accompanied by Rose Alice Wood. Other special numbers are a "Dutch Dance" by the members of the High Point school and a ladies' quartet and a string trio from Smithton.

Annual Affairs In past years the county dramatics events have been very interesting and have attracted large gatherings. With interest which has been shown thus far and the number of plays and special numbers on the program, the event this year promises to be even better than in past years.

All the one-act plays will again be judged this year, with the winners being announced at the close of the program Tuesday night. All persons interested in an evening of good entertainment

are cordially invited to attend the dramatics contest on Monday and Tuesday nights, March 25 and 26.

Plans are complete for the Rural Dramatics program to be held at the Smith-Cotton High School auditorium on Monday and Tuesday nights, March 26 and 27, beginning at 8 o'clock p. m.

OBITUARIES

William T. Wells

William T. Wells, aged 77 years, retired traveling salesman, and a Sedalia resident for the past 41 years died at 10:15 o'clock Thursday evening at the Bothwell hospital where he was taken from his home, 614 West Seventh street, during the afternoon.

He was born at Bunker Hill, Tenn.

Death was attributed to a heart ailment.

Mr. Wells, one of the most widely known traveling men in Missouri during his active years on the road was lastly with the Lengenbergh Hat Co., of St. Louis, after representing another hat and glove company in previous years.

With Mrs. Wells and a daughter, who passed away in Sedalia at the age of eight years, he came to Sedalia and for a considerable time resided at the Potter home on East Seventh street. Later they had an apartment on South Kentucky avenue and after that purchased a home on East Broadway where they resided several years, and where Mrs. Wells passed away in 1939.

Mr. Wells was a member of Sedalia lodge No. 236 A. F. & A. M. and also belonged to other Masonic bodies being much interested in Masonic fraternal activities. He was a member of the Calvary Episcopal church and had served several times as a member of the vestry.

Mr. Wells as a traveling salesman belonged to the United Commercial Travelers and also the Travelers Protective Association. Funeral services will be held at 10:00 o'clock Saturday morning at the McLaughlin funeral chapel with Rev. J. E. Merrick, rector of the Calvary Episcopal church, to officiate.

Officiating music will be by Mrs. James Atkinson. The body will leave Sedalia at 2:10 Saturday afternoon over the Missouri Pacific for Fayetteville, Tenn., where graveside services will be conducted by the Masons at Rosehill cemetery.

Mr. J. G. Gump Service Funeral services for Mrs. J. G. Gump of Clarkburg, 81 years old, who died at 11:15 a. m. Monday at her home, were conducted Wednesday afternoon at the Clarkburg Baptist church by the pastor, the Rev. Ivan Dameron.

The pallbearers were grandsons, Henry and Robert Gump, Jerd and Donald Bales, Kenneth Anderson and Dwight Williams. Burial was in the Clarkburg Masonic cemetery.

Jewell E. Richards of Tipton was the funeral director. The former Susan Katherine Vaughan, daughter of the late James and Charity Vaughan, was born June 23, 1864, in Cooper county, one of a family of 12 children. August 31, 1883, she was married to Jerd Gump and the couple were the parents of ten children.

The seven surviving children are Mrs. Charles Schlup, Mrs. Eliza Bales, Mrs. John Anderson and Wilber Gump of Kansas City, Norman Gump of Los Angeles, Calif., and Mrs. T. D. Williams and Ernest Gump of Clarkburg. Preceding Mrs. Gump in death were three children Bertha, Effie and Roy Gump. Also surviving are her husband, 23 grandchildren, 16 great grandchildren, a sister, Mrs. J. J. Birdsong of Clarkburg and many nephews and nieces.

Early in life Mrs. Gump united with the Mt. Pleasant Baptist church and at the time of her death was a member of the Clarkburg Baptist church.

'Sonny' Kanter Arrives in States Marvin J. (Sonny) Kanter, S. I. C., has arrived in the States from the Aleutian islands, according to a telegram received this morning by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Kanter, 406 Dal-Whi-Mo court.

The context of the message is as follows: "Arrived in Seattle. Waiting for transportation to St. Louis for discharge. See you soon. Love, Marvin J. Kanter."

OKLAHOMA CITY, March 22.—(P)—A blind man who called police and surrendered after telling them he had shot his former mother-in-law while his blind divorced wife stood helplessly by, was held in the city jail today.

O. T. Guthrie, 42, the blind man, who operates a second-hand store, told Assistant County Attorney George Lipe he dialed the police station after firing two bullets into the body of Mrs. Elizabeth Hinds, 60.

Mrs. Hinds, mother of Guthrie's divorced wife, who operated a soft drink stand in the State Capitol building, died instantly. She was hit in the chest and shoulder.

Lipe said Guthrie told him and Coroner Evert Crismore that he blamed his mother-in-law for his marital troubles, which ended in divorce.

He said he went to his former wife's home to get \$800 he said she owed him for starting the capitol soft drink stand for her.

Back To Work Arthur Phillips, 1900 East Seventh street, who has been a patient at the Missouri Pacific hospital in St. Louis for the past year has returned home and has been released from the hospital. He will go to work on March 25 at the Missouri Pacific shops where he is substitute foreman in the store department.

A faulty catapult aboard the giant aircraft carrier Midway sent the Helldiver bomber, piloted by Lt. Warren F. Paris, plunging into icy seas off Greenland, but he was promptly rescued by the crew of the destroyer Stormes. The Sharon, Pa., flyer is pictured being returned to his ship in a new life-saving basket developed by the Coast Guard. Accident happened while the Midway task forces was testing planes and equipment in sub-Arctic waters during "Operation Frostbite."

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Representative Sure Nylon Worries Are Far From Over

By Virginia Van Der Veer

WASHINGTON, March 22.—(P)—Here he is: The red-haired congressman with your nylons at heart.

He's Rep. Gordon Canfield, New Jersey Republican, and he's upset. Proclaimed Rep. Canfield in a perturbed press release:

"The plight of stockingless women is real and the fair sex of this atomic age who yearn for more yarn, be it nylon, silk, rayon or cotton, are aroused."

If you're from Missouri and want to be shown, Rep. Canfield has 1,000 letters from stocking-conscious constituents.

Canfield took his 1,000 problems to the civilian production administration. He said he "reckoned he was just getting somewhere" when in came the complaint that went right up on top of the stack.

The feminine plaintiff sputtered angrily. She had stood in line a total of 25 hours in a few weeks, come out with nine pairs of nylons — and can't wear any of them.

Too Short "All are six inches short," she wrote her congressman. "It is impossible for a woman of average height to get justice."

This, decided Canfield, was beyond mere man. He called for help from the distaff side of the house. These were his answers: Rep. Edith Norse Rogers (R-Mass) reported sympathetically she had been able to get two pairs of nylons which had "disappeared in no time."

Rep. Helen Gahagan Douglas (D-Calif) replied she, too, had "suffered" on the stocking front but had more important things on her mind.

Rep. Margaret Chase Smith (R-Me) was terse. No woman with nine pairs of nylons, she told Canfield, should complain.

Rep. Frances Bolton (R-Ohio) had a concrete idea. Why, she suggested, didn't Canfield set up a stocking exchange where the long and short of the nylon quandary could get together.

From the house's only southern congressman, Rep. Helen Douglas Mankin (D-Ga):

Can Still do Without "Goodness me! I've gotten along without nylons very well for four years and I think I can exist another year without them."

The textile division of the civil production administration offered a plaintive postscript on the entire unhappy situation.

It said if some women weren't hoarders or hysterical buyers, there'd be enough hosiery for everyone, provided the distaff side rationed themselves to a pair of nylons every two months, or a pair of rayons every three months.

OPA deplored the "unrestrained buying and hysterical hoarding by an irresponsible and selfish few."

But, lady, despite all Rep. Canfield and the OPA say, it looks as though your nylon worries are far from over.

Isolated One portion of Lake of the Woods county, Minn., cannot be reached by land without going through Canada. It lies nearer the North Pole than any other section of the United States.

"Winking" Star The Arabians named Algol (meaning "evil one") the winking star, because every third night it grows dim for 18 minutes. Modern astronomers know that Algol has a companion star which passes between it and the earth every three days.

Doesn't Keep Gaining A falling body does not continue to gain speed. In experiments, a dummy figure reached its maximum speed after falling 1600 feet. It never fell faster than 200 miles an hour.

Democrat-Capital Class. ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c

Basket Party

Shooting His Mother-in-law

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Personals

Sgt. and Mrs. J. E. Sims have returned to Washington, D. C., after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Jake Stubinger, 506 South Summit avenue. They were called to Atchison, Kas., by the death of an aunt of Mrs. Sims and then stopped in Sedalia for a visit. Mrs. Sims was formerly Miss Ruth Ellen Stubinger. Sgt. Sims is stationed at Bolling field and expects to receive his discharge in May.

Carl Speiser, of St. Louis, will come Saturday to spend the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Speiser, 1000 West Sixteenth street. He will be accompanied by Sedalia by Miss Patsy Lovell, of St. Louis, who will be a week-end guest in the Speiser home.

Mrs. Floyd Burton and her daughter, Miss Gwyneth Burton, 610 East Tenth street, will go to Kansas City to spend the weekend.

Miss Dorothy Dean, a student at Maryville college, St. Louis, will arrive this evening to spend the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dean.

Lt. and Mrs. James Seamans, who have been visiting his grandmother, Mrs. William McGeary, and aunt, Mrs. Roy Strain, 1427 South Carr avenue, and another aunt, Mrs. R. R. Ramlow, 1301 West Fourth street, left Thursday for the separation center at Denver, Colo., where Lt. Seamans will receive his discharge. They will then go to their home in Casper, Wyo.

Miss Mildred Scott, 903 South Prospect avenue, left this morning to spend the week-end in St. Louis with friends.

Mrs. Etta Spillers, 400 West Fourth street, left this morning for Brentwood to be a guest of her granddaughter, Mrs. W. C. Heynen.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Russell and son, David, of Kansas City, arrived today to spend the week-end with Mrs. Russell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Pulliam, 2001 East Broadway.

Ill Couple Better Mr. and Mrs. Robert Saunders, who for the past week have been ill at the home of Mrs. Saunders' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Haesler, 522 East Booneville, have returned to their home at the Dean apartments.

Miss Bush Better Miss Phyllis Bush, who has been quite ill at her home, 1312 South Osage avenue, for the past ten days is improved but is still confined to her bed.

Letters Issued Letters of administration on the estate of William D. Rymer, who died in Cleveland, O., on March 9, were issued today in the probate court to Glenn Rymer.

Arrested Charged With Passing Forged Check Sheriff Ed Goetz and Deputy Sheriff Adolph Glenn Thursday arrested Virgil Berry for whom warrants had been issued charging passing a forged check and forgery. The check for \$21 was passed on the S. P. Johns & Sons Lumber company and bore what is alleged the forged signature "Dollie Toliver."

Berry's residence is in the Lawnsdale section of Sedalia. He is held in the county jail pending a hearing.

Wm. Blau Will Filed The will of William Blau, who died March 13, was filed today in probate court. To his wife, Lena Blau, he left his entire estate, real and personal, for her natural life, and at her death to go to their son, Marshall J. Blau. Marshall J. Blau was named executor. The will was made April, 1934.

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Ocean Liner, Jet-Propelled



Miss Flora Tomadelli, daughter of New York designer J. Tomadelli, is pictured above holding a scale model of the "New Era" jet-propelled ocean liner conceived by her father. The ship, powered by four jet engines (arranged two to each side), would have an over-all length of 1487 feet and a capacity of 116,000 gross tons. Capable of carrying about 10,100 passengers, it would cost an estimated \$60,000,000.

Crippled Girl On Her Way To Hospital

Shriners and Railroad Men Sponsoring Her

ST. LOUIS, March 22.—(P)—Minnie Rose Webb, 14-year-old crippled girl of Rialto, Tenn., arrived here today aboard the Illinois Central's Chickashaw Limited and was removed to the Shriners' hospital for crippled children to receive treatment for her three-year-old affliction.

A crowd of about 500 persons greeted the arrival of the little girl, including William H. Woodfield, Jr., of San Francisco, Imperial Potentate of the Shrine of North America, and George E. Morrison, St. Louis, Potentate and treasurer of the hospital.

The train made a special stop at Rialto last midnight to permit Minnie Rose and her wheel chair to be put aboard.

For Definite Government Program

KIRKSVILLE, Mo., March 22.—(P)—Col. Manvel H. Davis, Kansas City, told the annual spring gathering of First District Republicans last night that "there should be a definite program for the conduct and guidance of government."

Colonel Davis, a veteran of World Wars I and II, said the two-party system had been challenged at home and abroad and he recommended an amendment to the Constitution that would permit no individual to serve more than two successive terms as President.

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Testimony on Vardaman Is Varying

Three Bankers State he is Not Suited for Job

By Edward B. Haakinson

WASHINGTON, March 22.—(P)—Four St. Louis bankers today gave varying estimates of the qualification of Commodore James K. Vardaman, Jr., to serve on the Federal Reserve Board of Governors.

Three said they felt Vardaman, President Truman's naval aide, was unsuited for the post. A fourth testified he considered Vardaman "well qualified."

Their opinions were given to a senate banking subcommittee considering the nomination of Vardaman to a 14-year term on the banking board.

James P. Hickok, president of the Missouri State Bankers Association, put it this way: "Loves The Guy"

"I never loved a guy more," but he is "not qualified by experience, record or temperament" for the board. Hickok added that he regarded Vardaman as a "man of prejudice, violent likes and dislikes which sometimes influence his judgment."

Hord Hardin, executive vice president of the Mississippi Valley Trust Co., said he considered Vardaman "utterly lacking in the balanced judgment that any member of the Federal Reserve Board should possess."

Harvey L. Welch, vice president of the First National Bank of St. Louis, in which Vardaman once served as a junior officer testified that Vardaman had an "indefinite attitude toward his job that bordered on neglect."

J. W. Minton, president of the United Bank and Trust Co., who described Vardaman as "well qualified" asserted Vardaman had done a good job of trying to reorganize the Vardaman Shoe company which was in financial difficulties.

Bataan Hero's Widow Weds

LOS ANGELES, March 22.—(P)—Mrs. Marian Dyess, widow of Lt. Col. William Dyess, hero of the Battle of Bataan, has announced she was married in Santa Barbara Saturday to Alton Horton, men's sportswear manufacturer.

She said the marriage, which took place in the First Presbyterian church, climaxed a romance that began when they met recently in Mexico.

Dyess was killed when his P-38 crashed in nearby Burbank in December, 1943. Shortly afterward the government released his graphic story of the Bataan death march, and told of his thrilling aerial operations.

Mrs. Horton is vice-president of the Champaign, Ill., News-Gazette, Inc., and her mother, Mrs. Helen M. Stevick, of Champaign, is president.

Promotion for Marine War Prisoners

WASHINGTON, March 22.—(P)—The Senate naval affairs committee today approved legislation authorizing the retroactive promotion of 5,563 naval and marine corps personnel who were held by the enemy as prisoners of war.

The measure would also pay 70 cents a day subsistence allowance for the time in captivity.

The legislation's cost was estimated at approximately \$10,000,000.

Cafes May Serve Less Bread, Salad Dressing

WASHINGTON, March 22.—(P)—The nation's restaurants and hotels can serve less bread and salad dressing than usual without trimming prices—if customers raise no objections.

OPA authorized this today to help put into effect recommendations of the President's famine emergency committee that Americans cut down on these products so that more wheat and edible oils can be sent abroad.

Chicago Grain Table CHICAGO, March 22.—(P)—

WHEAT—High Low Close Close May 1.83 1.83 1.83 1.83 July 1.83 1.83 1.83 1.83 Sept 1.83 1.83 1.83 1.83 Dec 1.83 1.83 1.83 1.83

CORN—May 1.21 1.21 1.21 1.21 July 1.21 1.21 1.21 1.21 Sept 1.21 1.21 1.21 1.21 Dec 1.21 1.21 1.21 1.21

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Charges of Conspiracy

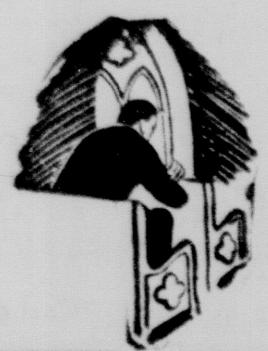
LONDON, March 22.—(P)—U. S. Army headquarters in London said today that charges of conspiracy "to inflict cruel, unusual and unauthorized punishment" on guardhouse prisoners had been brought against Col. James A. Kilian of Highland Park, Ill., former commander of the Tenth Re-inforcement Depot at Lichfield, and five other officers.

Maj. Richard D. Kearney, staff judge advocate for the London area, said the charges, preferred "for investigation under the 70th article of war," also included separate counts of misfeasance and malfeasance in office.

Kilian and others of the six charged today appeared as witnesses earlier this year at the court martial of ten enlisted men and two officers accused of mistreating Litchfield prisoners.

Leading Stocks At Close

	Close	Close
	Thurs.	Fri.
American and For. Power	11 1/2	11 1/2
American Smelt and R.	6 1/2	6 1/2
American Tel. and Tel.	190 1/2	189 1/2
American Tobacco B.	91 1/2	90 1/2
Anacosta	46 1/2	46
Atchafalaya T. and S. F.	102 1/2	102 1/2
Atlas Powder	82 1/2	84 1/2
Aviation Corp.	12 1/2	12 1/2
Chrysler Corp.	124 1/2	127 1/2
Coca-Cola	198	198
Curtis-Wright	24 1/2	24
Du Pont de Nemours	105	106 1/2
Eastman Kodak	56 1/2	56 1/2
Federal Electric	71 1/2	71 1/2
General Foods	50 1/2	50 1/2
General Motors	71 1/2	71 1/2
International Harvester	90 1/2	89 1/2
International Shoe	45	45 1/2
International Tel. and Tel.	24 1/2	24 1/2
Kennecott Corp.	54 1/2	54 1/2
Libby, McEwen & L.	13 1/2	13 1/2
Liggett and Meyers B.	85	85 1/2
Loose-Wiles	35	35
Mid-Cont. Petroleum	35	35
Missouri-Kansas-Texas	13 1/2	13 1/2
Northwestern Ward	86	86 1/2
Asac-Kelvinator	21 1/2	21 1/2
Atlantic Cash Register	30 1/2	30 1/2
Aviation Petroleum	33 1/2	33 1/2
Buckard Motor Co.	10 1/2	10 1/2
Cepis-Coca	34 1/2	34 1/2
Champion Petroleum	55 1/2	55 1/2
City Baking	37 1/2	38
Radio Corp. of America	15 1/2	15 1/2
Reynolds Tob. B.	42 1/2	42 1/2
Seaboard Roebuck	42 1/2	42 1/2
Shell Oil	65 1/2	65 1/2
Southern Calif. Edison	39 1/2	39 1/2
Standard Oil Indiana	39 1/2	39 1/2
Studebaker Corporation	30 1/2	30 1/2
Swift and Co.	38 1/2	38 1/2
Union Pacific	83 1/2	83 1/2



Sedalia Churches Invite You For Sunday Worship



"Have We Not All One Father? Hath Not One God Created Us?"

Attend Your Church

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST. Sixth street and Lamine avenue. Sunday school is held at 9:30 a. m., for persons under the age of 20. Sunday services are at 11:00 a. m.

Subject, "Matter." Golden text, 1 Cor. 10:14. My dearly beloved, flee from idolatry.

Wednesday evening testimonial meetings are at 8:00 p. m. The public is invited to enjoy the privileges of the reading room located in the same building entrance on Sixth street. It is open to the public each afternoon from 2:00 until 4:00, except Sunday and holidays, also after the Wednesday evening meetings. The Bible, and writings of Mary Baker Eddy and all authorized Christian Science literature may be read at this room.

ST. PATRICK'S. Rev. Father T. J. Nolan, pastor. Sunday masses 6:00, 8:00 and 10:00 a. m. Weekday mass 8:00 a. m. Novena devotions Tuesday, 7:30 p. m. Masses on holy days 6:00, 7:30 and 9:00 a. m. First Friday 6:00 and 8:00 a. m.

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST of Latter Day Saints, 517 South Lafayette. Sunday school 10:00 a. m. Missionary meeting 6:15 p. m. Sacrament and preaching 7:30 p. m. K. R. Rowlette, president.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. Seventeenth and Harrison. Rev. E. S. Brummet pastor. Sunday school 10:00 a. m. Morning service 11:00 a. m. C. E. 6:30 p. m. Evening service 7:30 p. m.

SACRED HEART Third street and Montebau avenue. Rev. Father A. J. Brunswick, C. P. S., pastor. Sunday masses, 6:00, 8:00, 9:15 and 10:30 a. m. Week-day masses 6:15 and 8:15 a. m. Evening services Friday, 7:30 p. m.

ROSE LAWN PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS. 233 East Booneville street. Sunday school each Sunday 10 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. Young people's service 7 p. m. Preaching 8 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday evening 8 p. m. Mrs. Bessie Palmer, pastor.

CHURCH OF CHRIST, Fourteenth street and Stewart avenue. Services 10:30 a. m. Bible study and communion.

BROADWAY PRESBYTERIAN, Broadway at Kentucky avenue. Herman M. Janssen, pastor; Clyde Heynen, Sunday school superintendent; Miss Marian Smith, organist; Mrs. H. C. Johnson, choir director. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Classes for men and women as well as for children and young people. Services of worship, 10:45 a. m. Pastor's subject, "Something Was Left Out." Junior sermon story, "The Lamb That Saved a Man's Life." The choir will sing, "I Was a Wandering Sheep" by Rollison, and "O Come Unto Me" by Enners. The Westminster Youth Fellowship group will meet at 6:00 p. m. Sunday. The Boy Scout troop will meet 7:30 Monday evening. The United Lenten Service will be held at the First Methodist church next Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Bishop Ivan Lee Holt be the guest preacher. The pastor's instruction class will meet at 4:10 p. m. Thursday.

CALVARY EPISCOPAL: Rev. J. E. Merrick, rector. Services Sunday, March 24: 8 a. m. Holy Communion; 9:30 Sunday school; 11 a. m. morning prayer. St. Martha's Guild will meet Tuesday at the home of Miss Shortridge at 2:30. The Boy's club will meet Wednesday at 7 p. m. in the Parish Hall. Lenten services will be held Thursday, 10 a. m. Holy Communion 7:30 Litany. Junior Confirmation class will be held Friday at 4:15. Adult class will be held Friday at 7:30 in the church.

TRINITY LUTHERAN, Tenth street and Osage avenue. L. A. Swan, pastor; Noel Sweet, superintendent church school; Leonard Englund, director of music; Mrs. Elmer Fingland, organist. The church school meets at 9:30. The divine worship service begins at 10:45 each Sunday. The pastor will present a message on the subject, "Toil and Rewards." Mrs. J. A. Carlson will sing, "Jesus I My Cross Have Taken" by Henry F. Lyte. The mid-week Lenten services will be held Wednesday evening at 7:45. The message, "What We Believe About Baptism."

CALVARY BAPTIST: Rev. Morgan Beach, pastor. Bible school 9:30 a. m. Forrest Merriott, superintendent. Morning worship 10:45. Sermon topic, "Perseverance of the Saints." Training Union 6:15 p. m. Mrs. J. W. Mickens director. Evening worship 7:30. Sermon topic, "The Three-fold Message of the Cross." Quarterly business meeting of the Woman's Missionary Union Tuesday afternoon 2:00. Mid-week prayer service and choir rehearsal Wednesday evening. Training Union Study Course each evening this next week with each Union taking the Manual, the adults being taught by E. E. Swafford, the young people by Mrs. B. B. Bradley, the intermediates by Earl F. Swafford and the juniors by Mrs. E. E. Swafford.

FIFTH STREET METHODIST, Fifth and Osage streets. M. U. Campbell, D. D., minister. Church school 9:30. Ben Robinson, superintendent. Adult devotionals in charge of Wesley Fellowship class with Bert O. Hathaway, speaking on the book, "Christ and Our Country." Morning worship 10:30. Vocal solo by Mrs. A. H. Lueninghoerner. Anthem by choir directed by Mrs. George R. Lovercamp. Mrs. Mae Moser, organist, will play, "Sabbath Meditation" and "Consolation." Sermon by the minister. Subject, "Almost Persuaded." Sunday evening service 7:30. Sermon, "Subtraction." Song service led by Ralph Benningfield. Mid-week Lenten service at the First Methodist church, Wednesday evening, with Bishop Ivan Lee Holt, St. Louis, as guest speaker.

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CHURCH OF THE OPEN BIBLE, 701 East Fifth. Rev. and Mrs. A. M. Crawley, pastors. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Classes for all ages. Morning worship 11:00 a. m. Young people's service 6:30 p. m. Evening evangelistic service. Rev. Mildred Nelson speaking on the subject, "Pulled Out of the Fire." Evangelistic services will continue nightly with the exception of Saturdays at 7:30 p. m., with the Nelson Sisters in charge. Special music at every service, and Bible preaching.

CONGREGATIONAL - PRESBYTERIAN, corner Sixth and Osage. Robert C. Williamson, D. D. minister; Mrs. W. C. House, superintendent of Sunday school; A. M. Hoffman, assistant superintendent; Miss Mabel DeWitt, organist and director of music. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Morning worship 10:30. Sermon topic, "The Source of Authority." Anthem, "O God, the Rock of Ages" hymn-anthem, Hamilton Gray, adapted and arranged by George B. Nevin by the choir. United mid-week Lenten services, Wednesday, March 27th, 7:30 p. m. First Methodist church, corner Fourth and Osage avenue. Speaker, Bishop Ivan Lee Holt.

EAST BAPTIST, Sixth and Lamine. Thomas W. Croxton, pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. W. L. Reed, superintendent. Departments and classes for all ages. Morning worship service 10:35. Music by the adult choir with Ralph Guenther, choir director and Mrs. Clyde Williams, organist. Rev. Lewis A. Myers will speak morning and evening. Training Union 6:15 p. m. Richard Durham, director. Evening worship service, 7:30 p. m. Music by the adult choir. Mid-week prayer service, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN, Seventh and Massachusetts. Rev. Wetherall, guest minister. Bible school at 9:30. Lawrence Brown, superintendent. Men's Bible class at 9:45. O. B. Poundstone will be the guest speaker. Morning worship and communion at 10:45. Sermon by Rev. Wetherall of the Bible college at Columbia. Special music by chorus choir. Mrs. H. O. Foraker, director. The anthem, "A Benediction" by Hamblen, Mrs. M. O.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN, Missouri Synod, Broadway and Massachusetts avenue. Herman H. Heidbreder, pastor. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Adult Bible class at 9:30 a. m. Morning service with celebration of Holy Communion at 10:30 a. m. Theme of sermon, "Closing the Door Against Christ." Evening worship at 7:30 p. m. Theme of sermon, "The Savior's Supplication." Adult membership class at 6:30 p. m. Mid-week Lenten service Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

IMMANUEL EVANGELICAL AND REFORMED, Fourth street and Vermont avenue. William C. Bessmer, pastor; Miss Frances Meyer, director of music; Miss Lillian Fox, organist; R. R. Ramelow, superintendent of church school. Sunday, March 24: church school 9:30 a. m. Worship service.

ST. JOHN'S EVANGELICAL AND REFORMED, Florence. Worship service will be conducted by Rev. William C. Bessmer, Sunday, March 24, 2:30 p. m.

FAITH TABERNACLE, Saline and Engineer streets. Sidney K. Mabry, pastor; Violet Mabry, superintendent of Sunday school. Sunday school 10 a. m. Morning worship 11 a. m. Call 3402 for the bus. Mid-week services Wednesday and Friday. Young people's league 8:45 p. m. We have two contests going on Sunday night message by the pastor.

Religious Remarkables

WORLD WAR II'S MOST DECORATED ARMY CHAPLAIN IS CAPTAIN EDWARD K. ROGERS, WHO HAS RESUMED THE PASTORATE OF FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH, AT WARREN, PA. HE SERVED THROUGH SEVEN CAMPAIGNS IN AFRICA, SICILY, FRANCE, AND GERMANY, AND WAS AWARDED SEVEN DECORATIONS.

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Lenten Thoughts

"And he said to all: If anyone wishes to come after Me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross daily and follow Me." This Scriptural text is especially timely for the Lenten season since it emphasizes the spirit of self-abnegation that marks the true Christian. It reminds us that selfishness—we may call it also pride or infidelity—is essentially the renunciation of God for unworthy things.

The lesson of Lent is that man must put first things first. The curbing of our inclinations, the self-imposed mortifications of this season, are an acknowledgment that we must seek primarily what is pleasing to God. Man is created to love God; and he must learn that this entails a constant readiness to put self last rather than first.

In the Lord's Prayer, the Christian asks that "Thy will be done on earth as it is in Heaven." To do God's will means to avoid sin, to practice virtue. It means to curb the lusts of the flesh, to do justly to others, to be patient and kind, to give God honor and praise in all things. Lent reminds us that duty to God is paramount and inescapable.

But Lent should be filled, not with grudging awareness of God's supremacy, but with willingness to do Him service. It should stimulate us to ardent love of His boundless perfection; to gratitude for the multitude of His mercies.

In this Lent of 1946, we cannot help thinking of millions in other lands whose lives have become an endless penance. Both for ourselves and for these helpless victims of war, Lent proclaims an abiding truth; that every suffering, every loss, every privation patiently borne for Christ's sake brings us a step closer to the heart of God and His ultimate mercy.

Go To Church This Sunday

This Feature Sponsored by The National Council of Christians and Jews

Stevens, Mrs. Roy Kirchhofer and David Mahnkens in the solo parts. Harold Langill will be the soloist, singing, "The Holy City" by Adams.

EAST BROADWAY CHRISTIAN. Rev. J. W. Watts, pastor; Miss Nellie White, director of choir; W. H. Swift, superintendent of Bible school. Bible school at 9:45. Morning worship and communion at 10:45. Subject of sermon "Religion, For These Times." The ladies quartet will sing, "Medley of Hymns." The evening service at 7:30 will be an all-picture service. The sermon will be one in a Lenten series, entitled, "Give God a Chance."

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Sunday School Lesson

A People Gains Consciousness Scripture: I Samuel, Chapters 1-7, especially I Samuel 7:1-8, 13-15

By William E. Gilroy, D. D.

When, and how, does a people become a nation? History has various answers. Sometimes the process is slow, as in the building of our American life out of original colonies, with much common heritage, but widely separated geographically and in sentiment. Sometimes the process is rapid, but not altogether effectual, as in the national developments following World War I.

In the history of Israel the process was slow in beginning, but swift and strong in its final stage because strong leaders came on the scene. In the progress from Egyptian bondage through the wilderness to the Promised Land, the consciousness of the people was tribal, racial and religious, rather than national, and the religious life was at a low ebb, as it was repeatedly in the lapses of the people into idolatry, the lines of distinction between the Israelites and then idolatrous neighbors were weakened. In the period of the Judges leaders like Joshua and Deborah, the woman judge, exercised great influence, but after them came the evil days.

Eli, the high priest, seems to have been a man of personal integrity and loyalty to the people, for the news of military disaster to Israel so overcame him that he fell from the balcony where he was sitting and was killed. But the record concerning Eli is that "his sons made themselves vile, and he restrained them not." The course of these sons, accepting bribes and misconducting themselves with women worshipers who came to the temple, shows to what a corrupt state the people had fallen.

11:00. Pastor will be speaking at the service. P. Y. P. A. service 6:45. President in charge. Evening evangelistic service 7:45. Mid-week services Tuesday and Friday. Tuesday night will be young people night. Friday night evangelistic.

GOSPEL TABERNACLE, Twenty-fourth and Ohio streets. Rev. Ervin Kelley, pastor; Viola Kelley, Sunday school superintendent. The Rev. F. R. Luckey, P. Y. P. A. president of the South Central District of the Pentecostal Church of God will be preaching due to the absence of the Rev. Kelley. Mrs. F. R. Luckey will serve as Sunday school superintendent. Sunday school begins at 9:45 a. m. A class for every age. Morning worship at 11:00. Message by Rev. F. R. Luckey, P. Y. P. A.'s meet at 6:45. Sunday night will be evangelistic service. Our orchestra will participate. Evening message by Rev. F. R. Luckey. Regular services on Wednesday and Friday night at 7:45.

"MATTER" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, March 24, 1946. Golden Text: I Corinthians 10:14. Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Thou shalt have no other gods before me." (Exodus 20:3).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "Matter is on error of statement. This error in the premise leads to errors in the conclusion in every statement into which it enters. Nothing we can say or believe regarding matter is immortal, for matter is temporal and is therefore a mortal phenomenon, a human concept, sometimes beautiful, always erroneous." (p-277).

Community News from Ionia

Mrs. Homer Howe

Mrs. Fred Mueller was hostess to a recent meeting of the Golden Stitch Away club. A contributive lunch was served at noon. The day was spent in conversation and doing needlework for the hostess. Mr. and Mrs. George Bockle, man, who have spent the past 18 months in Colorado and Arizona, have returned to Ionia and are residing at the home of Miss Lotie Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Kreisler of Clinton visited Ionia friends Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Dickey and daughter, Mary Lou, of Tahlequah, Okla., recently spent several days with Ionia friends while en route to Junction City, Kas., to visit Mrs. Dickey's brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hampy and daughter, who have been visiting Mr. Hampy's parents, Mr.

But now there came a new leader, who with religious fervor and integrity combined high qualities of political leadership. It was under this new leader, Samuel, that the people attained such strong national consciousness that they rejected Samuel himself, as the religious head, demanding a military leader and king, thus paving the way for that disaster which was shortly to come upon them.

The story of Samuel, both in its personal aspects and in its political implications, is of great interest. We see him first as the little boy in the temple, brought there by his mother, Hannah, and devoted to the service of the high priest, Eli. He was the child of love and prayer. His father, Elkanah, is one of the truly noble figures in the Old Testament, a man of delicate feeling who truly loved his wife, despite her barrenness; and Samuel, in the beautiful account of his birth, was the child of his mother's prayer.

Eli, too, was more successful with his little helper than he was with his own sons; and when Samuel heard a voice calling him, Eli did not rebuke him, or make fun of him, but recognized that it was a divine call and told him when the call came again to say, "Speak, Lord, for thy servant heareth."

From that hour Samuel became conscious of a great mission. He cleansed the temple of its abuses, restored and strengthened the religious life of the people, but became also their political and military leader. He took hold with a firm hand, and if we picture him as the mild little child serving in the temple, we must put beside that picture the severe judge hewing in pieces before the altar the enemy king, Agar in retribution for his acts of atrocity.

Mrs. A. W. Hampy, left Friday for Omaha, Neb., to make their home. Mr. Hampy, who has been serving at Great Lakes naval training school, Ill., recently received his discharge.

The Rev. and Mrs. Alva Pitchford and daughter, Ellen June, recently visited relatives at Montrose.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Williams had as dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Robert Drake and family of Warsaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Friedly had as Sunday dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Friedly of Stover, Miss Eva Friedly of Kansas City and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Browning and daughter, Janet.

Miss Nan Mahnkens has returned from a three weeks' visit in Kansas City.

Mrs. Edwin Wehman, who is receiving medical treatment in Kansas City, spent Sunday with her family here.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Moomaw have moved into rooms in the G. G. Williams residence.

Miss Ellen June Pitchford, who has been attending SMTC, Springfield, is visiting her parents, the Rev. and Mrs. Ava Pitchford.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Wienberg had as Sunday dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. Henry Helmers of Hughesville, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bruns, Lorena, Elmer and Emil Bruns of Cole Camp, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Bruns and son, Ronnie, and Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Wienberg and son, Robert.

Mrs. Charles Rages, Sr., Charles Rages, Jr., and Mrs. Julian Fowler, all of Hughesville, recently visited friends here. Charles Rages, Jr., who recently received his military discharge, has re-enlisted.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Taylor visited Sunday with Mrs. Taylor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Reneau, of Warsaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Kelb and son, Lloyd, and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hickey of Springfield visited over the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Neil.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Argenbright had as Sunday dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. D. Brady and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Brown.

Unbelievable Discovery
A statement of Marco Polo's required 600 years to prove. He discovered the great sheep now known as Ovis Poli, but the world believed that no such animal existed until 600 years later.

Floral Hint
There is no scientific basis to the popular belief that salt, aspirin or baking soda will prolong the life of cut flowers. Flowers will, however, do fairly well if the water is changed regularly and the stems cut daily.

The famous Lancaster night bombers that once destroyed many German cities are being converted into transports.

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Broadway Avenue at Kentucky
Church School, 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship 10:45 a. m.
Westminster Youth Fellowship, 6 p. m.

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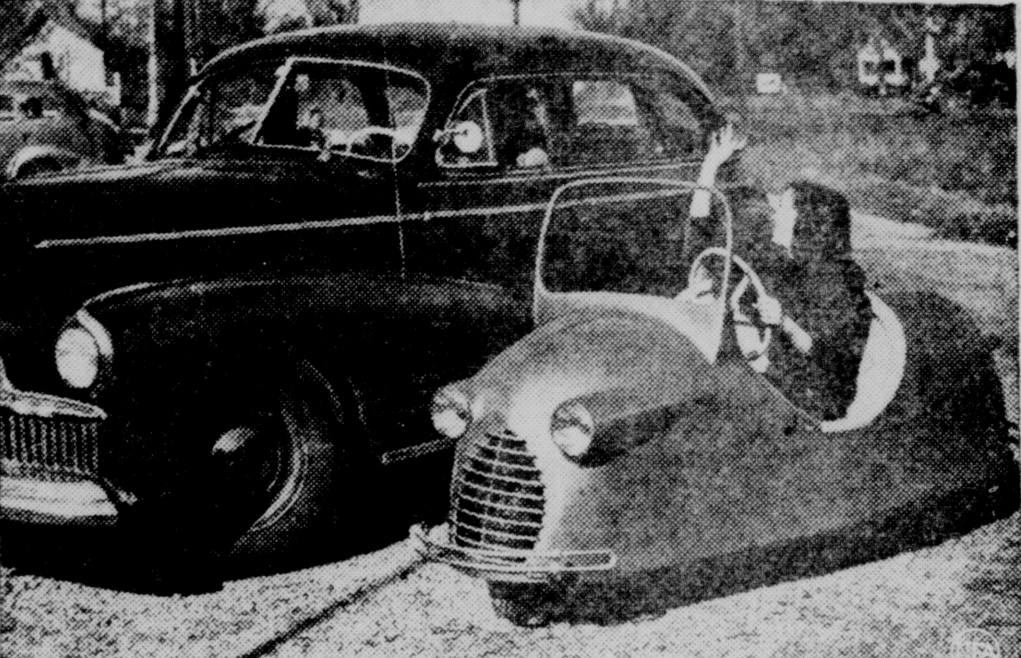
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ing to it was requested by Eickhoff and approved by the Council, and to this was added one at Twenty-sixth and Washington, requested by Taylor.

A sewer, installed at Warren and Eleventh, west 254 feet, by Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Seifert and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Potts, was conveyed to the city to become a public sewer. This action was taken by Leo Eickhoff.

A resolution of sympathy on the death of the mother of Dick Keenan, in St. Joseph, last week, was presented by Ira Knox, third ward, and read by City Clerk Norman Mueller. It was adopted by the Council.

Replying Mr. Keenan said: "I take this occasion to express my gratitude to the Council for their thoughtfulness in recessing the business of the regular meeting in tribute to my mother. May I also express the deep appreciation of myself and my family for the many floral expressions of sympathy in the universal language of flowers."

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CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF PETTIS, MISSOURI No. 22852 State of Missouri, ex rel. State Highway Commission of Missouri, Plaintiff

T. Milo Baker, Ida M. Baker, Gladys Downs Ayers, P. V. Ayers and the unknown heirs, grantees or successors of Gladys Downs Ayers or of P. V. Ayers, Defendants.

Order for Publication of Notice On this February 27, 1946, it appearing from the verified application of Plaintiff for an order allowing service by publication on the Defendants Gladys Downs Ayers and P. V. Ayers and the unknown heirs, grantees, or successors of Gladys Downs Ayers or of P. V. Ayers, to-wit:

9. Lands, properties or interests, ownership of, or legal rights in which are claimed by Gladys Downs Ayers, P. V. Ayers and the unknown heirs, grantees, or successors of Gladys Downs Ayers or of P. V. Ayers, to-wit:

9.10—An easement on a strip of land for right-of-way 35 feet in width and 1327.5 feet in length, the easterly boundary line of which is in an old road, and is the center line of a proposed highway designated Route ST, as located and established by the State Highway Commission of Missouri and included between Stations 3 plus 81.5 and 17 plus 09 on the centerline of a survey thereof.

9.11 Station 3 plus 81.5 on said centerline of highway is located at a point 0.7 feet east of the northeast corner of Section 18, T4N, R22W, and from said station the centerline extends south 0 degrees 27 minutes east the distance of 1327.5 feet to Station 17 plus 09.

9.12 Also, an easement on an additional strip of land for right-of-way lying along and joining on the west side of the above described strip. Said additional strip beginning with a width of 0.0 feet opposite Station 13 plus 09, thence extending southerly and gradually widening to a width of 10 feet opposite Station 14 plus 00; thence maintaining the 10 foot width to Station 17 plus 09.

9.13 The above described strips of land containing a total of 0.76 of an acre in the present old road and 0.38 of an acre is additional land from owners herein.

9.20 Also, an easement on a strip of land 400 feet in length, lying along and joining on the west side of the above described strips of land. Said easement strip is bounded on the west by a line which is 85 feet west of and parallel to the centerline of highway between station 13 plus 00 and 17 plus 09. Said strip contains 0.38 of an acre and is to be used for the purpose of borrowing earth or other natural materials as it may be desired to remove from the same during the construction of said highway, and at the completion of construction the easement right in this strip shall cease and be no longer in effect.

9.21 The above described land lying, situate and being in the N½ of NE¼ of Section 18, T4N, R22W, and from said station the centerline extends south 0 degrees 27 minutes east the distance of 1327.5 feet to Station 17 plus 09.

And that said Defendants be and are hereby further notified that the names and addresses of the attorneys for Plaintiff are Raymond G. Barnett and Wilkie Cunningham, Building 5117 East 31st Street, Kansas City, Missouri, and that April 8, 1946, at 10 o'clock a. m., or as soon thereafter as the cause can be reached, and the Court House in Sedalia, Missouri, are the time and place fixed for the hearing of the condemnation petition in said action, and that said Defendants are required to appear and defend this action on or before said time, and in case of failure so to do judgment by default will be rendered against said defendants for the appointment of said commissioners and for the relief demanded in the petition.

It is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the Sedalia Weekly Democrat, a newspaper of general circulation printed and published in Pettis County, Missouri. A true copy from the record. Witness my hand and the seal of the Circuit Court this February 27, 1946. BRYAN HOWE, Circuit Clerk. MILDRED SUTHERLIN, Deputy Clerk.

Fourth ward, first precinct—Mrs. R. C. Parkhurst. Third ward, first precinct—Mrs. T. J. Bunn, Mrs. E. J. Thomas, Mrs. C. R. Harrell. Third ward, second precinct—E. Tomlinson, Mrs. A. M. Cowherd, Mrs. Rick Fullerton. Third ward, third precinct—Mrs. J. A. Barnum, Mrs. J. W. Starke, Mrs. Roy Hill. Third ward, fourth precinct—John H. Eastwood, Mrs. John L. Sullivan, Mrs. Douglas Kennedy. Third ward, fifth precinct—Mrs. C. E. Crawford, Mrs. Ira A. Leiter, Mrs. A. J. Rose. Fourth ward, first precinct—Mrs. Leo Sullivan, A. C. Morton, Mrs. J. C. Saunders. Fourth ward, second precinct—James LaBahn, Mrs. C. T. Gorrell, Mrs. Cord Bohling. Fourth ward, third precinct—W. P. Hurley, Tracy Berry, Mrs. N. F. Bockelman. Fourth ward, fourth precinct—Mrs. L. C. Kennon, Mrs. A. T. Woodson, Mrs. Henry Nieman. Fourth ward, fifth precinct—Mrs. Walker Boulware, Mrs. Harry Harnsberger, Mrs. Edgar Neighbors.

Files For Registrar Miss Tracy Lee Berry filed Thursday as candidate for registrar in the fourth ward, on the Democratic ticket, J. H. Green, county clerk, announced.

Republicans First ward, first precinct—William Schrader, Mrs. D. A. Beatty, Mrs. Alice Crawford. First ward, second precinct—J. Ross Kindred, Mrs. Roy Conn, Mrs. A. C. Stoffel. First ward, third precinct—Mrs. Fredonia Kingsbury, Arthur Glasgow, Mrs. Mabel Sheppard. Second ward, first precinct—Miss Helen B'nder, Mrs. Ernest Mason, Mrs. Amelia Brown. Second ward, second precinct—Mrs. Mary Williams, Mrs. Betty Cole, Mrs. Jessie Stanley. Second ward, third precinct—Mrs. Ralph Smith, Mrs. T. M. O'Bannon, Miss Evelyn Sullivan. Third ward, first precinct—W. H. Fewell, Luke Miller, A. L. Pringle. Third ward, second precinct—Mrs. H. M. Young, Mrs. Lon Maness, Mrs. Clarice Matthews. Third ward, third precinct—Mrs. J. M. Holland, Mrs. Elmer Winfrey, Mrs. H. F. Janes. Third ward, fourth precinct—Mrs. H. H. Heibredner, Mrs. C. Steele, Mrs. C. Dow. Third ward, fifth precinct—Mrs.

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As we are leaving the farm, we will sell at public auction at what is known as the Jake Lower farm located 12 miles north on 65 Hwy., 1/2 mile north of Edwards Filling Station, on

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| 1 Jersey-Shorthorn cow, 5 yrs. | 1 Sulky rake |
| 1 Jersey-Guernsey cow, light yellow with white spots, 7 yrs. | 1 Bull rake |
| 1 Jersey-Guernsey, 2 yrs. | 1 Cream separator, Montgomery Ward |
| 1 Jersey, 4 yrs. | 1 Mower, New Ideal, 5 foot |
| 1 Jersey heifer, 2 yrs. | 1 Disc harrow, International Harvester, 14 blades |
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| 1 Jersey heifer, 2 yrs. | 1 Sulky plow, 14 inch |
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Egyptian Writer Says Every Man Should Have Four Wives

By Hal Boyle
CAIRO, March 22.—(P)—Tewfik El Hakim is the "George Bernard Shaw" of the Middle East. He is a precise middle-aged man with a small mustache and French mannerisms, picked up in Paris, where he was educated.
He even wears a maroon beret instead of the conventional tall red tarboosh. He is perhaps the most disliked man in Egypt — by modern Egyptian women, because of his theory that every man should have four wives.
Modern Moslem women feel they are having a hard enough time getting rid of centuries-old Arab religious restrictions on their sex without Tewfik El Hakim and his campaign for polygamy. And what infuriates them more is that Hakim himself, while advocating four wives for every other man in the world, declines to take even one to himself. He poses as a confirmed "woman hater."
More Comfortable
"But I think every man who wants them is entitled to four wives," he says. "It is more comfortable for them and for him."
"Four wives can do so much more for a man than one. He needs one, for example, for companionship; another for cooking; still another to take out and show off in company and a fourth one for romance."
"No one woman can do all these things. An automobile can't march without four wheels and a man with only one wife is like a car with only one tire."
"I can see how it might be possible for a man to get along with as few as two wives — but that is the kind of a man who would start a long journey on a bicycle."
The most educated women here bridle at the very mention of Hakim's theory, but when I asked one spinster lady how she would like being married to a man with four wives, she merely replied, practically:
Suited Her
"Well, it would be better than nothing."
Hakim is one of the highest paid writers between Casablanca and Calcutta. He writes for "Akhar Elyom," a weekly news magazine circulated throughout the Middle East. He and his publisher, Mustapha Amin Youssef, are engaged in a perennial financial debate.
"He gets 50 cents a word and we are glad he doesn't stutter," said Youssef. "He always suspects us of not counting the number of words in his articles correctly, but he is too lazy to do it himself."
"So now he takes his article into the cable office and pretends he is going to send it to London. After they have counted the words, he tells them he has changed his mind."

Dots All Brothers
Man O'War will celebrate his 29th birthday a week from today. ... Don Budge offers the startling news to tennis enthusiasts that Frankie Parker's forehead (remember the old gags) now is his best shot. ... "All I know," says Don, "is that when you hit to it you have to start running but when you hit to his backward you know you're going to get the ball."

Grant Owned Slave
General Grant was once a slave owner. He married Julia Dent when he returned from the Mexican war in 1848. Her father owned a number of slaves and the newlyweds were presented with a slave boy as a wedding present. The Dent family kept their slaves until the close of the Civil war.

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BOX SPRINGS
24.⁹⁵

2-HOLLYWOOD BEDS
36.⁸³

MONTGOMERY WARD
218 So. Ohio Phone 3800

Sports Roundup

By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.

NEW YORK, March 22.—(P)—Most of the basketball coaches who have gathered here for their first big convention since before the war figure they're too busy this year getting the college game rolling again to tinker with the rules. ... But that doesn't keep them from advancing individual ideas. ... There's the three-circle plan for jump balls, for instance, and Oregon's Howard Hobson still is strong for widening the free-throw lane to loosen up the game under the basket and minimize the effect of tall players. ... Hobby bravely offers this proposal despite the fact he has a 6-foot-8 freshman center. ... Phog Allen, the articulate Kansan who thinks 12-foot high baskets would make it basketball again instead of "round-ball hockey" came up with a suggestion recently to make the court 130 feet long and to use seven-man teams so there'd be more seats along the sides. ... Phog knows as well as anyone that it would mean rebuilding every gym and field house, but at least it was a story.

Today's Guest Star
Gordon Gilmore, St. Paul Pioneer-Press: "Reports from the south don't say how well the

"THE PLACE TO GO"
FOX
LAST TIMES TONIGHT
The Romantic Story of Our Country's Most Exciting Days!
'DAKOTA'
—STARRING—
John Wayne
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Feature Shown
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"WINNING BASKETBALL"
Sportscope
March of Time - News
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The woman every foxhole soldier wanted to get his hands on!
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H. T. TSANG and LOTUS LONG in TOKYO ROSE
Directed by LEW LANDERS • A PINE-THOMAS Production
A Paramount Picture
—ALSO—
"PURPLE MONSTER STRIKES"
LATEST NEWS
ADULTS—35c
CHILDREN—14c

Radio's 'Beulah' Died Suddenly

HOLLYWOOD, March 22.—(P)—The voice of Beulah, Radio's chuckling negro maid, was still yesterday by a heart attack.
Beulah was neither a negro nor a maid. She wasn't even a woman. She was Marlin Hurt, at 40 a veteran of 16 years in radio. He succumbed as, shortly after complaining of illness, his wife was assisting him to bed.
Hurt was in vaudeville before 1930, when he went into radio. His debut as Beulah was made two years ago on the Fibber McGee show. An instant hit, he was made star of his own Sunday afternoon radio program last June.
He complained of illness yesterday, visited a doctor, then returned to his Chevy Chase home, where he was fatally stricken. He succumbed before his physician could arrive.
A native of DuQuoin, Ill., he is survived by his widow, Edna, and an adopted son, Raymond, now in Puerto Rico. Funeral services will be conducted Monday.

Sports Mirror
By the Associated Press
TODAY A YEAR AGO—Ohio State entered the final round of the eastern NCAA basketball tournament by defeating Kentucky 45-37 after New York University qualified by defeating Tufts 59-44 in the opening game of the doubleheader at Madison Square Garden.
THREE YEARS AGO — Out-

fielder Max West of the Boston Braves passed his army physical examination and was ordered to report for induction.

FIVE YEARS AGO — Greg Rice ran the fastest two miles, either indoors or outdoors when he was clocked at 8:51.1 in the Chicago relays.
TEN YEARS AGO — The Detroit Red Wings and the Montreal Maroons on the American and Canadian division races respectively of the National Hockey league.

Rolling Rattlesnake
The sidewinder rattlesnake has

a mode of locomotion especially adapted for travel in soft sand. The snake literally rolls along, with its body leaving disconnected S-shaped imprints in the sand.
The Sedalia (Mo.) Democrat Friday Evening, March 22, 1946
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CIVILIANS AGAIN
The civilian job will very likely require different visual skills than were used in the service. Have your eyes carefully examined.
Dr. Geo. T. Lively—Dr. Lawrence S. Geiger
OPTOMETRISTS
Herbert A. Seifert, Optician
110 East Third St. Sedalia, Mo.

NO PICTURE BEFORE EVER DARED TO BE SO

Frank

AND FRANKLY NO PICTURE HAS EVER BEEN SO Daring!

"MAGNIFICENT... one of the greatest pictures I have ever seen." —Louella Parsons
"POWERFUL... a must-see for all adult moviegoers." —Screenland Magazine
"UNFORGETTABLE... with never a dull moment." —Leonard Lyons

Danton Walker— noted columnist says: "One of the best movies ever made."

The Lost Weekend
Ray Milland
Jane Wyman
with Phillip Terry • Howard da Silva • Doris Dowling • Frank Faylen
Produced by CHARLES BRACKETT
Directed by BILLY WILDER
Screen Play by Charles Brackett and Billy Wilder
From the Novel by Charles Jackson
A Paramount Picture

FOX **STARTS TOMORROW**
7-THRILLING DAYS-7
ADDED UNITS
"LITTLE WITCH" MUSICAL
POPEYE, THE SAILOR CARTOON
"HOUSE OF TRICKS"
LATEST FOX NEWS

I—Announcements

2—Cards of Thanks
PHILLIPS: TOM—We wish to thank our friends and neighbors, those who sent flowers, for sympathy and kindness extended during our late bereavement.
 Jennie E. Phillips and Family.

6—Monuments and Cemetery Lots
YOUR FAMILY MONUMENT is bought once to last forever. Be wise, choose Heynen Monuments, 101 North Ohio.

7—Personals
WATKINS DEALER: Store 812 West 16th. Phone 1011. Powell Can.

BIRTH CERTIFICATES secured for all states. Berger, 618 East Broadway.

WANTED USED CARS
G. R. JANSSEN MOTORS
 East 3rd St. & M-K-T Tracks
 PHONE 517

10—Strayed, Lost, Found
WILL PARTY FINDING man's shoes put in car by mistake contact Charles Taylor, Route 1, Beaman, Missouri.

LOST BROWN BILLFOLD: Saturday evening, downtown, with money and pictures that can not be replaced. Keep money, return billfold and pictures. 210 East 7th or Phone 4329-W.

II—Automotive

11—Automobiles for Sale
1930 PONTIAC, good condition, \$200. With ceiling. 605 North Prospect.

1933 CHEVROLET, 4 good tires, fair body, \$125. Within O. P. A. ceiling. 1220 West 10th.

SALE OR TRADE 1940 MERCURY, 4 door sedan, radio, heater, plenty extras, good tires, \$1095.00. Within O. P. A. ceiling. We have plenty of new tires for sale. Truck Brothers DX Service, Houstonia Phone 61.

A—Automobile Agencies
MOTOR RECONDITIONING, cylinder re-boring and re-sleeving. Van Norman Bar, Jack's Auto Service, Phone 925. New location 921 West Main.

12—Auto Trucks for Sale
1939 FORD TRUCK, short wheel base, 2 speed action, \$675.00. 1940 Ford truck and Kingdom trailer, \$975.00. 2 gas tanks, fit pickup, 300 gallon capacity, 3 compartments \$65.00 each. 1419 North Osage. Phone 515. Under ceiling.

13—Auto Accessories, Tires, Parts
NEW CORDUROY TIRES and tubes, including 6.00x16, 5.50x17 sizes. O. K. Rubber Welders, 400 West 2nd.

HAWKINSON TREAD your tires. Absolutely no heat applied to sidewalls. All sizes, passenger and truck. Arbo Tire and Tread Company, 218 East 2nd. Phone 460.

SMOOTH TIRES MADE SAFE: Quality recapping and repairing, truck and passenger, new and used tires. Cook's Tire Service, Main and Grand. Phone 629.

RADIATORS CLEANED AND REPAIRED. Portable welding equipment, electric and acetylene. We make out of town calls. Gene Patrick and Jimmy Jolly. Call 544 or 2719-W. 508 West 2nd Street.

16—Repairing—Service Stations
MOTORS STEAM CLEANED and painted. Batteries charged, fast or slow. Radiators back flushed. Hoverton Service, 16th and Grand. Phone 728.

17—Wanted—Automotive
WANTED TO BUY: Cars, 1220 West 10th. Phone 2805-W.

WANTED USED CARS: 1934 models and 1936 models. Decker Used Cars, 15th and Ohio. Phone 2255.

WANTED USED TRUCKS
G. R. JANSSEN MOTORS
 East 3rd St. & M-K-T Tracks
 PHONE 517

WANTED HOUSE TRAILER: State size, condition, price. G. W. Sims, Fortuna, Missouri.

USED CARS WANTED
 We will pay highest Cash Prices for Good Used Cars
ROUTSOUNG MOTOR CO.
 110 South Lamine
 Call 190 or 331

III—Business Service

18—Business Services Offered
PEABODY RADIO SERVICE—22 years at 1319 South Osage. Phone 854.

RADIO REPAIRING at Cecil's Bicycle Shop, 704 South Ohio 3987.

REFRIGERATION SERVICE: Roy Young, 318 Hancock. Call 1203 or 3777.

LAWN MOWER GRINDING by electric machine. 703 South Lafayette.

EXPERT REFRIGERATOR SERVICE: Phone 234 or 1284. Sedalia Refrigeration Co.

WANTED LANDSCAPING, yard sodding, trees trimmed and topped. Phone 3402.

LANDSCAPING, tree and shrubbery surgeon. Everything trimmed and treated. Phone 4328.

PUMP REPAIR SERVICE: 2409-W. O. J. Monsees, 312 East 16th.

SOME PEOPLE MAY THINK we are out of business. But we are still with you. Scrap Dealer, Stout and Son, 3rd and Limit.

BAILES REFRIGERATION CO. Commercial and Domestic Sales - Service Telephone 420

MACHINE WORK—Prompt service, reasonable prices. Wholesale Auto Parts, Sedalia, Missouri. Homer Hall, 117-119 South Osage. Phone 766.

III—Business Service

18—Business Services Offered
EXPERT TREE TRIMMING: Call 869 or 248.

RUG CLEANING: Phone 512. Parisian Cleaners, 606 South Ohio.

PERMANENT WAVES: Lovely lustrous waves, prices most reasonable. Why struggle with straight hair. MayBelle Beauty Shop, 122½ West 3rd. Phone 824.

TOLEDO SCALES and food machines. New or used. Authorized service. E. A. Edwards, District Agent, 821 West 10th. Phone 3380.

WASHER SERVICE: Wringer rolls, parts, belts. We repair all makes. Pickup, deliver. Burkholder, 202 Ohio. Phone 114.

VACUUM CLEANER floor brushes rebristled, belts, cords, bearings, armatures, switches, carbon brushes and springs. Dell's 116 West 3rd Street.

SEWING MACHINE REPAIRS and parts. All makes cleaned and oiled. 12 years experience. All work guaranteed. Leland Witt, 1518 South Lamine. Phone 3951.

HAVE YOUR old mattresses made over into a fine renovated and recovered mattress, at a very low cost. Feather mattresses made from your feather beds. Bryan-Paulus Awning Company. Phone 131.

GUARANTEED SEWING MACHINE Service. Years of experience on all makes of machines. Can order buttonhole attachments, pinkings, etc., electric motors for your machines. Moved from 225 South Kentucky to new location 1804 South Osage. M. Firsick.

HOOVER CLEANERS: Authorized factory service station. Complete checkup, cleaning, repacking with grease and all labor only \$2.25, plus standard charge for parts replaced. Call 8 for FREE inspection and estimate. Only Hoover parts used and all work guaranteed. McLaughlin Brothers Furniture Company, dealers.

51—Dressmaking and Millinery
SEWING: Mrs. Vance, 714 East 9th. Phone 3470-W.

WANTED SEWING: 1815 East 6th. Phone 1383-J.

FAVE YOUR SPRING and summer sewing done now. Phone 2014.

BUTTONS MADE TO ORDER: Tailored plastic. Berger, 618 East Broadway.

23—Insurance and Surety Bonds
HOSPITALIZATION: 90 days any hospital, surgical service, medical, charges by physician, miscellaneous expense included. Mutual of Omaha, Sedalia Trust Building, Phone 444.

24—Laundrying
WASHINGS WANTED: No ironings. Phone 3402.

WANTED WASHINGS and ironings. 1314 East 9th.

WANTED WASHINGS: No ironings. 901 East 11th. Phone 1613-W.

25—Moving, Trucking, Storage
HAULING OF ALL KINDS: Leo's Delivery Service, 711 South Ohio. Phone 1116.

MOVING AND LIGHT HAULING: Reliable Transfer Company. Phone 566.

GENERAL HAULING large or small. Call 3390-W. Carl Lewis.

LIGHT AND HEAVY moving and hauling trash. 1918 South Grand. Phone 10, Sedalia Delivery.

LOCAL AND LONG DISTANT hauling and trucking. Phone 2335. Everett England.

CLIFF'S DELIVERY SERVICE: Light and heavy moving and deliveries of all kinds. Phone 394. 722 East 3rd.

ATTENTION LOCAL and long distance hauling. Move your live stock safely. New equipment. Robert Williams. Phone 378.

MIDDLETON STORAGE COMPANY—Dependable service under owner management responsibility. Storage, moving, packing and crating. Lamine and Missouri Pacific tracks. Phone 946.

26—Painting, Papering, Decorating
PLASTERING PATCHING: Ray Littick. Phone 1557.

PAPER HANGING and painting wanted. Phone 3351-W.

WALLPAPER CLEANING: L. Randall. Phone 1643-J.

PAINTING AND redecorating. Davis Brothers. Phone 4176 or 3730-J.

WANTED PLASTERING: Patching. C. H. Butler, 400 West Henry. Phone 1328.

HOUSE PAINTING and interior work. Carpenter repair work. Free estimate. Phone 3177.

WANTED WALL PAPER CLEANING and painting. Phone 1711.

WANTED PAPER HANGING: A. L. Lemons, Grand Avenue Ford road.

PAINTING, CARPENTER, cement and chimney work. J. M. Holloway, 901 South Montauk. Phone 2870.

29—Repairing and Refinishing
WANTED CARPENTER AND repair work. Call 2517-J.

WANTED ROOFING AND painting, house repair work. Phone 3805-W.

CARPENTER: Cabinets, truck and wagon beds, furniture made and remodeled. 501 West Main.

WANTED CARPENTER and repair, roof and siding. Free estimate. Call 3651.

IV—Employment
32—Help Wanted—Female
WANTED: Housekeeper, white, middle age, companion, stay nights. Phone 1913.

WANTED WOMEN OR GIRLS for Dry Cleaning Department. Dorn Cloney Laundry.

WANTED TWO waitresses for local tavern. Call 3203 for appointment.

WANTED MIDDLE AGE WOMAN: Housekeeper and care of sick lady. Phone 727-W.

IV—Employment

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EXPERIENCED WAITRESSES and kitchen help. Fred Hildebrandt, 124 East 3rd.

WANTED CLERK, typist. Good opportunity for advancement. Apply in person. Town Country Shoe, 110 North Missouri.

WANTED HOUSEKEEPER for two adults employed. All or part time. Phone 328 days or 1566 after 6 p. m.

WANTED Women to Work in Laundry
FLAT WORK DEPARTMENT
 Apply
DORN-CLONEY LAUNDRY COMPANY
 201 E. 3rd St. — Phone 126

33—Help Wanted—Male
WANTED: CARRIER BOYS for Kansas City Star. Harry Brounger, Phone 292.

WANTED APPLICATIONS for carrier boys to carry The Sedalia Democrat-Capital. See Paul R. Mines, Sedalia Democrat-Capital.

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36—Situations Wanted—Female
VETERAN'S WIFE, college graduate, desires part time stenographic work. Phone 1137-R.

37—Situations Wanted—Male
BASEMENT DIGGING and garden plowing. Phone 613.

WANTED CUSTOM PLOWING and discing. No gardens. Phone 1818.

WANTED GARDEN PLOWING and trash hauling. Phone 643. Eddie Payton.

V—Financial
10—Money to Loan—Mortgages
3½% ON SAVINGS—Industrial Loan Company 122 East 2nd street.

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 SEDALIA — Phone 108

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VII—Live Stock

47—Dogs, Cats, Other Pets
COACH DOG PUPPIES: (Dalmatian) one male and one female. Harry Walch, Phone 634.

48—Horses, Cattle, Other Stock
SADDLE HORSES for sale. Phone 22-F-12.

SHEEP: 23 ewes, 15 lambs, buck. D. F. Wasson, LaMonte.

CHITLINS AND MAWS: Tuesday's and Friday's. 1822 Ingram. Phone 122.

CHOICE yellow Jersey, heavy milkers with heifer calf. 1702 West Broadway.

FRESH COV with heifer calf. Cream separator. Phone 1575-F-1.

TWO REGISTERED Shorthorn bulls, roans. Hadley Stahl, Syracuse 1830.

MILK COWS: Holstein, Jerseys. Jersey Barn, Fair Grounds. Phone 3094.

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VII—Live Stock

48—Horses, Cattle, Other Stock
REGISTERED Hereford * bulls. Frank Haar, Call 410.

WANTED TO BUY: Mother Nature chick brooder. Phone 3039-J.

2 WHEEL TRAILER, purebred Duroc gilts, bred; sow, one gilt, pig soon. Phone 4260-J-3 Sedalia, Route 5, near Beaman. W. L. Quint.

49—Poultry and Supplies
DUCK EGGS for hatching. Large white Pekin. Phone 43-F-21.

NICE YOUNG FRYERS: Phone 57-F-11 or 1654-W.

TOP PRICE PAID for quality fryers and hens. Will Farris. Phone 177.

NICE WHITE ROCK FRYERS: Call 25-F-12. C. G. Ficken, Route 3, Sedalia.

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BIG TYPE 250-350 pedigreed sired pollorum tested 4 week old White Leghorn pullets \$24.95; unsexed day old \$8.40; cockerels \$2.25; heavy assorted \$6.90. Write for other prices. 100% live delivery. Warsaw Hatchery, Warsaw, Missouri.

SWIFT'S QUALITY New Hampshire and White Rock Chicks. Hatches each Monday and Friday. SWIFT & CO. HATCHERY Phone 148—Sedalia

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Bagby Chicks
 White or Barred Rocks
 Rhode Island Reds
 Buff Orpingtons
 White Wyandottes
 White Leghorns
 and other leading breeds.
 White Leghorn Cockerels
 Monday and Thursday Hatches
 \$2.50 per 100
 Popular priced chicks from a 32 year old breeding program
Bagby Poultry Farm
 Phone 975 318 W. 2nd St.

50—Wanted—Live Stock
WANTED: Good single work horse, reasonable. 1105 East 3rd.

WANTED STOCK HOGS: C. F. Wicker, Houstonia. Phone 8-F-21.

VIII—Merchandise
51—Articles for Sale
ROAD AND CONCRETE GRAVEL Phone 2197.

USABLE TENT: 65 foot by 40 foot complete with side walls, poles and stakes. Inquire of L. W. White, 614½ South Ohio, Sedalia.

52—Fruits and Vegetables
WEAKLEY'S MARKET: Fresh fish, fruits and vegetables. 208 West 2nd.

FRESH VEGETABLES: Spinach, lettuce, radishes, onions, cabbage, apples, carrots, cauliflower, turnips, sweet potatoes, Russets and Triumph eating potatoes. Brockman Farmers Custom Market, 1822 Ingram. Phone 122.

59—Household Goods
USED FURNITURE: Reconditioned. 1501 South Ingram.

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Dated at Sedalia, Missouri, March 13th, 1946.

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CITY OF SEDALIA, MISSOURI.
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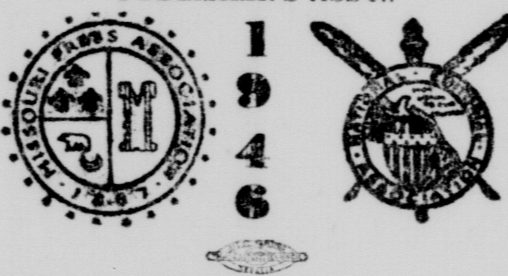
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DOG? A BROWN ONE TO MATCH OUR RUGS! BUT IT CAN'T EAT MORE THAN TWO DOLLARS WORTH OF RUGS!

THEY CAN BE AN AWFUL NUISANCE AROUND THE HOUSE!

I KNOW! BUT THEY'RE SO AFFECTIONATE!

THIS! THIS! RIGHT! THEY'RE SO AFFECTIONATE! STICK UP FOR YOUR OLD MAN!

BY MERRILL BLOSSER



WE WERE JUST ARGUING AS TO WHETHER YOU'D DO FOR HILDA WHAT HED DO FOR ME!

DO WHAT?

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



WHAT'S WITH THE DOG FOOD, BOOTS? IS ROD IN THE DOG HOUSE?

I'M TRYING TO SEE HOW MUCH IT COSTS TO FEED A PUP! I'M THINKING OF GETTING ONE FOR ROD IF OUR BUDGET CAN TAKE IT!

THE INSPECTOR GETS AN IDEA



IN FACT, GROWL, I DON'T EVEN KNOW WHO THE MAN IS... OR WAS.

HE WAS A FENCE GONE RESPECTABLE. AND HE RAN THE GOLD CLOCK, MAYBE AS A FRONT FOR SOMETHING BIGGER.

YOU SAY DICE WAS IN YOUR OFFICE. WHAT DID HE WANT?

HE DIDN'T SAY.

BY MICHAEL O'VALLEY AND RALPH LANE



DICE HIMSELF WAS A FRONT FOR A MAN NAMED MON—VERY BAD MEDICINE. DICE WAS NO GOOD, BUT HE WAS MURDERED—

AND UNTIL SOMETHING BETTER TURNS UP, YOU'RE MY NUMBER ONE SUSPECT!

BY V. T. HAMILIN




OH, YES, SPEAKING OF SIXTY... DID I TELL YOU SHE JOINS OUR LABORATORY STAFF TOMORROW MORNING?

WHAT?

WELL, HOT! DAWG!

RED RYDER



SURE, GUS! I SAW YOU TAKE THE SHERIFF'S FISTOL—BUT I KNOW IT'S NOT READY FOR YOU!

WILL HE HEAR?



MEANWHILE... (THAT SHOT MEANS TROUBLE—THUNDER, OL' BOY—Mebbe RUBY AN' THE SHERIFF'S BLINDED INTO LUKE?)

ME SEEM-YED RED RYDER—SHERIFF YELL-UM LOUD, QUICK PRONTO!

BY FRED HARMAN



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WASH TUBS



QUITE A STORY, EH, BABE? I'D LIKE TO HAVE ALL THE DOUGH IT'D TAKE TO BUY THAT MUCH PUBLICITY!

THAT SASSO KID DON'T NEED TH' PUBLICITY, BUT I COULD SURE USE IT, SNAWS!

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ALLEY OOP



WELL, THAT WAS SOME PARTY, WASN'T IT?

YEAH! I AIN'T HAD SO MUCH FUN SINCE OL' DINKY LAID AN EGG AN' HATCHED A CRITTER THAT BIT A KID!

MY STARS HASN'T BUD WARREN GROWN UP... AND HANDSOME!

WUBBA HUBBA!

AND BY GADDERY, THAT SIXTY GALS GOT A LOT ON TH' BALL TOO...

A POPULAR GIRL



...BUT THEN I KNEW THAT WHEN I WAS TALKIN' TO HER ON TH' PLANE

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Hoover has no Delusions on Need for Food

Immediate Relief To Europe Must Come From Americas

BY DE WITT MACKENZIE
AP World Traveler

PARIS, March 22.—(AP)—Former President Herbert Hoover is launching his investigation of the European food shortage without any delusions as to the gravity of the position or the dangers which develop when men's minds are overwrought by hunger.

His recognition of the great urgency of the situation was quite apparent in a private conversation which I had with him on the eve of his departure for Rome, where he will continue his study. His thirst for information impelled him to rob me of my prerogatives as a reporter and he proceeded to ply me with questions about the position in Central Europe, which Mrs. Mack and I have just toured.

It was easy to see that he was working from the encyclopaedic knowledge which he acquired while food relief administrator for Europe at the end of the last war. I saw a great deal of him at that time as an Associated Press correspondent.

Many Will Die

His present problem makes the dilemma of Old Mother Hubbard look like the plenty of a Sunday school picnic. It's estimated that there are some 500,000,000 people hungry in various parts of the world and the experts tell us there's only enough food for three-quarters of them. We don't have to draw diagrams to emphasize the grimness of that situation. It means that a lot of people are going to die of hunger before the world production can catch up with the shortage.

The position isn't the same now as it was after the last war, when Mr. Hoover made himself famous at Europe's provisioner. Then the world had prepared for the food shortage which followed the first global conflict and the contingency could be met. But now there just isn't the food—and there won't be anything like enough food until after the harvests several months hence. No wonder Mr. Hoover says the next four months are the crucial ones.

Americas Must Help

He points out that immediate relief must come from North and South America. That's where the grain and other foodstuffs are. This means that Canada, the United States and the Argentine have to play Atlas to the world for a third of a year.

A third of a year—and what tragedy can develop in that time if the food emergency isn't met. Mr. Hoover will find (and probably foresees it already) that the passions of Europe are being swayed by hunger. Folk in the hard-hit areas are reaching willfully for new political nostrums in the hope that they will bring relief.

Political Chaos

Thus we have political chaos in various of the liberated countries, and in the conquered states the labors of the occupation authorities are being rendered increasingly difficult because of public bitterness over short rations. The reform and rehabilitation of Europe are in the melting-pot—and the fire isn't doing so well.

Mr. Hoover points out that the situation calls for sacrifices by the haves for the have-nots. Four months, of course, won't replenish the world's cupboard, but it will get by its most pressing emergency.

There come into my mind the lines of some great and good man who said, "If everybody cares enough and everybody shares enough, everybody will have enough."

Club Demonstrates Easy Guest Meal

"Easy guest meal" dishes were demonstrated and served at noon at the March 14 meeting of the Kola Homemakers club at the home of Mrs. Kate Wagenknecht.

Mrs. Glenn Mertgen presided over the business session. Mrs.

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Leonard Siegel and Mrs. Glen Mertgen reported on the home-made purse demonstration they attended in Versailles March 4 and exhibited purses they had made.

Recover Body Of Pilot In Crash

EUFAULA, Okla., March 22.—(AP)—Two members of the army search and rescue mission Thursday located wreckage of an army training plane which crashed near here last Thursday, and recovered the body of the pilot, identified as A. H. Mullinax, Greenville, S. C.

In Oklahoma City, C. L. McCormick, CAA chief aircraft communicator, said the plane was an AT-6 piloted by Mullinax, who is vice president of the newly formed Lincoln Air Freight, Inc., Lincoln, Nebr.

The plane had been missing since March 14 when it was reported en route from Tinker Field, Oklahoma City, to Fort Smith, Ark. McCormick said. The final destination was Greensboro, N. C., but Mullinax was to have stopped at Fort Smith for refueling.

Capt. Harry Able and First Lt. Carl S. Yelfetson from Biggs Field, El Paso, Texas, spotted the wreckage 20 miles west of here on Flat Rock Mountain, and landed near Eufaula. They reached the plane about two hours later after walking most of the way over rugged mountain terrain.

Army rescue service planes began searching yesterday for the plane in the Fort Smith area.

Vice Admiral Vickery Dies

PALM SPRINGS, Calif., March 22.—(AP)—Vice Adm. Howard L. Vickery, World War II vice chairman of the U. S. maritime commission, died Thursday night only a few hours after coming to this winter resort in an attempt to recoup his health. He was 54.

Details of his death, which occurred about 9 p. m. (CST) were not immediately determined, but it was presumed due to a heart attack. Mrs. Vickery was with him when he died. They lived in Washington, D. C.

Last December the White House announced acceptance of Admiral Vickery's resignation from the maritime commission because of ill health. At that time he explained to the President that in the fall of 1944 he had been stricken with an illness which a year later resulted in him being placed on the navy's retired list.

Charges Against Truck Drivers

Five truck drivers allegedly were doing the wrong things at the right time for Sgt. Fred Rodecker and Trooper Pete Stohr, of the state highway patrol, and were arrested at 4:15 o'clock Thursday afternoon, charged with careless and reckless driving.

At the wheels of five lime trucks, en route back to Sedalia from the rock quarry north of here were Glen Clifford Arney, 411 North Prospect avenue; William Harvey Walters, 628 East Third street; David Daniel Thomas, 517 North Prospect avenue; Dewey Monroe Swopes, 209 West Fifth street; and Charles William Hurt, 325 North Quincy avenue.

They were accused of driving at excessive speeds, cutting on curves and other traffic infractions, after moving onto highway 65 at a rapid clip from a farm-to-market road, according to Stohr.

The five men are to appear Tuesday morning in the court of A. M. Harlan, justice of the peace, each on a charge of careless and reckless driving.

Outbreak Of Virulent Small-pox In Bay Area

SAN FRANCISCO, March 22.—(AP) An outbreak of virulent small-pox of the Oriental type in the bay area was reported Thursday by Dr. Wilton T. Halverson state director of public health. He urged residents to be vaccinated quickly.

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PUBLIC SALE

As I have sold my home, I will sell the following at public auction at **509 South Park Avenue, on SATURDAY, MARCH 23 - 2 P. M.**

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| 1 Singer sewing machine | 1 Dining room suite, table, buffet and 6 chairs of walnut | 1 Walnut kneehole desk | 3 9x12 rugs | 1 Walnut bedroom suite, vanity dresser, chest, bed with mattress and springs | 1 Two-piece living room suite | 1 Lounging chair | 1 Occasional chair | 1 Rocking chair | 1 Coffee table | 1 Floor lamp, (indirect lighting) | 1 Floor lamp | 1 Leather ottoman | 1 Atwater Kent radio | 1 Radio stool | 1 Lawnmower | 1 Sea King outboard motor | 2 Doors and 2 windows, 24 by 24 | |
| 1 Bathroom scales | 1 Mirror | 1 Hand carpet sweeper | 1 Card table | 1 Electrolix sweeper | 1 Smoking stand | 1 Lot kitchen utensils | 1 Electric washing machine, and 2 tubs | 1 Electric ice cream freezer | 1 Garden hose | 4 Iron beds | 4 Bed springs | 3 Mattresses | 1 Walnut dresser | 1 Commode | 1 Clothes hamper | 1 Pedestal | 1 Linoleum rug, 9x12 | 1 Lot of other articles too numerous to mention. |

TERMS—CASH
Jesse Paul, Auctioneer.
C. E. BODINE owner

PUBLIC SALE

I will sell at public Auction, on my place six miles south of Sedalia, and one mile east of Anderson school, on the old Harris place, the following, on

THURSDAY, MARCH 28th

- SALE STARTS AT 1:00 O'CLOCK**
- 76 HEAD OF LIVESTOCK**
- CATTLE**
- 1 Yellow Jersey cow, 7 yrs. old, heifer calf by side
 - 2 Brown Swiss Jersey cows, 7 yrs. old, each bull calf by side
 - 1 Light Jersey cow, 6 yrs. old, heifer calf by side
 - 1 Jersey cow, 8 yrs. old, bull calf by side
 - 1 Half Jersey cow, 6 yrs. old, heifer calf by side
 - 2 Red mottled faced cows, 6 yrs. old, both fresh in April
 - 1 Red cow 6 yrs. old, fresh in April
 - 1 Fawn Jersey cow, giving milk
 - 1 White cow, 8 yrs. old, giving milk
 - 11 Coming yearling heifers
 - 1 Coming yearling steer
 - 1 Cow pony, 10 yrs. old
 - 1 Bay horse, 4 yrs. old
 - 28 Head shoats, 70 to 85 lbs.
 - 1 Spotted Poland China sow, farrow in April
 - 1 Red boar, wt. 175 lbs.
 - 6 Stock hogs, wt. 125 lbs.
 - 1 Fat hog, 275 lbs.
- SHEEP**
- 6 Ewes, some lambs
 - 1 Buck
- CHICKENS**
- About 175 White Leghorn hens
- TERMS—CASH: Nothing to be removed until settled for.**
Olen Downs—Auct.
J. H. Green—Clerk
- FEED**
- A few threshed oats
- IMPLEMENTS**
- 1 1928 Chevrolet truck, good stock rack and grain bed
 - 1 10-ft. harrow
 - 1 8-ft. grain drill, Van Brunt
 - 1 Corn planter, John Deere
 - 1 Stock cutter
 - 1 5-ft. mowing machine, M. Harris
 - 1 Wood wheel wagon, extra good with almost new box
 - 1 Iron wheel wagon, good shape
 - 1 50-gal. fuel Barrel
 - 1 Electric brooder, 500 capacity, used one season
 - 1 Lot chicken waters and feeders
 - 2 Incubators, good as new
 - 1 5-gal. can fly spring, 1 1-gal. can fly spring
 - 1 Gallon harness oil, 2 gal. separator oil
 - 1 5-gal. fuel can
 - Several fruit jars, 3 10-gallon stone jars
 - 2 Lanterns, one saddle, 1 set harness and some scrap harness
 - 5 or 6 roots snow fence
 - 1 Iron kettle, pitch forks and shovel
- HOUSEHOLD GOODS**
- 1 table, 1 table top gasoline pressure cook stove, good as new
 - 1 Cot, a few dishes
 - 1 Electric No. 16 DeLaval cream separator
 - 1 5-gal. and 1 8-gal. cream cans
 - Other articles too numerous to mention.
- TERMS—CASH: Nothing to be removed until settled for.**
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